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## TAKE STEPS TO SAVE PROPERTY

London Police to Bring  
Felony Prosecutions  
Against Suffragettes  
Who Smash Things

## ARE TO PAY FOR DAMAGE

Police Raid Headquarters  
and Attach Funds: Will  
Use Them to Pay for  
Broken Glass

LONDON, March 5.—"From now on all women who break the laws will be treated the same as everyone else who commits a crime," declared Inspector McCarthy of the London police today in outlining the plans of the city authorities to stamp out the property destroying tactics of the militant suffragettes. McCarthy emphasized the raid last night on the suffragette headquarters and is in active charge of the work of repression.

**Felony Prosecutions**  
It is to be war hereafter and every woman who, through devotion to the cause injures property or jeopardizes any person will face a felony prosecution. Conspiracy charges will be lodged from now on, according to McCarthy, against every militant suffragette.

The penalty on conviction may be seven years' imprisonment. The first three persons to face that charge at once are Pethick Lawrence, Mrs. Pethick Lawrence and Miss Christabel Pankhurst, arrested on warrants. They will be tried speedily and if convicted will receive severe felony sentences.

The government officials went over the letters and documents seized in last night's raid on the headquarters. It was said that among the papers taken were the complete plans of the campaign as prepared by Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst and the other leaders and they probably will be used as the basis for the conspiracy proposition.

**To Hold Cash**  
The thing that hurts the suffragettes the most is the avowed intention of the government to attach the funds of the organization to reimburse persons who suffered loss in the raids.

The cash of the suffragettes, amounting to more than half a million dollars, will be held, and when the government is compelled to replace glass broken in the raids and to pay for other damage resulting, this money will be used. This is possible under English law and it is known Premier Asquith believes that this method will soon put an end to destructive demonstrations.

**All Forced to Work**  
A score of detectives are searching for the other leaders of the militant suffragettes against whom information has been lodged by the police.

The police courts were still crowded today as the magistrates are moving slowly in disposing of the cases of the 200 suffragettes arrested in Monday night's riots. All who are found guilty are sentenced to prison terms with hard labor attached.

An effort was made by the United Press correspondent today to see Miss Alice Morgan Wright, the young Albany, N. Y., girl sentenced to two months in Holloway prison. The authorities refused to permit her to be seen. She and the other victims of the police raid are held incommunicado and all are being forced to work.

**Miss Pankhurst Escapes**  
Although they announced last night that they had succeeded in arresting Miss Christabel Pankhurst, one of the leaders of the militant suffragettes, the police today admitted this was not so. They said that she had apparently evaded them and they at present have no clue as to her whereabouts.

## FARMER LOSES A LEG

HORSE KICKS LEG, SHATTERING  
IT SO THAT AMPUTATION IS  
NECESSARY; IS RECOVERING

Kicked in the leg by a horse yesterday afternoon, Henry Banke, aged 63, a farmer residing on the West Salem road, received injuries which proved to be of so serious a nature that it was found necessary to amputate his left leg this morning.

Dr. F. C. Suiter was called in after the accident happened and Mr. Banke was removed to the La Crosse hospital, where his leg was amputated this morning. It was reported this afternoon that Mr. Banke is resting easily.

## DISCUSS LABOR LAWS

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Workmen's compensation and the prevention of accidents in various industries were the subjects discussed at today's session of the National Civic federation by August Belmont of New York, Senator Sutherland of Utah, Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh and others. Pensions for government civil service employees were advocated by Andrew W. McKee, president of the civil service retirement association.

## LAWRENCE CHIEF DEFENDS ACTION

Police Official of the Strike  
City Denies that Women  
and Children Were  
Beaten by His Men

## BOUGHT ARREST, HE SAYS

Declares that Strikers were  
Anxious to Be Put in  
Jail, in Order to  
Pose as Martyrs

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Comfortably furred and richly gowned Washington society women rubbed elbows with scantily clad strikers from Lawrence today while the Lawrence police officials, Commissioner of Safety C. F. Lynch and Chief J. J. Sullivan, told of their encounters with the strikers, and denied clubbing women and children.

Mrs. Taft, wife of the president, arrived early in the session, accompanied by her niece, Miss Anderson, the two forcing their way through the motley crowd standing in the big committee room.

Sullivan flatly contradicted the testimony of the Philadelphia committee and the strike leaders.

**No Violence, Sullivan**  
"No one was clubbed or beaten or abused," he said. "There was no violence. I was there to see that the women and children were treated properly. I was never ten feet away from them and none of them was injured in any way."

He said that he arrested the women and children because the adults in the crowd refused to tell whether or not they were the parents of the children and whether they were willing that they should leave Lawrence.

Mrs. Taft and the other fashionable women in the crowd listened to Sullivan's account of how he policed the city of Lawrence with 22,000 militiamen on strike with evident interest. They watched him eagerly as he told of women, out to picket the mill district at 4 o'clock in the morning, in little groups of three and four, who were anxious to be arrested, who wanted to offer themselves as martyrs.

The women and children who were crowded into cells in Lawrence police stations, according to yesterday's testimony, were these pickets and not the women arrested at the depot, Sullivan claimed.

The husbands and friends of the jailed pickets brought their little children to the police station to be cared for and when the women were sent to jail, the children were taken from them to be sent to the poor farm.

This, he said, was the reason for the scene in the station, when weeping children and screaming women were parted.

**Police and Strikers Clash**  
LAWRENCE, Mass., March 6.—Clashes between strike pickets and the police were common today with the result that ten women and five men, were arrested charged with intimidation, assault and violation of the city ordinances. Some of the men arrested, the police allege had bags of red pepper in their pockets.

The objective was the Arlington mills where a determined effort is being made to break the strike. Here the pickets were thickly packed and the police charged them. They broke and ran, but quickly reformed. Then a company of militia chased them and they fled up the side streets and reappeared on the opposite side of the mills.

## HUGHES CLUB FORMED

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 6.—The Charles E. Hughes club of Illinois today filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state. The headquarters is in Chicago and the object to promote the candidacy of Charles E. Hughes for president. The incorporators are: C. H. Dodge, J. F. C. Royer, Christy R. Perry.

## TAFT WINS A DISTRICT

OSKALOOSA, Ia., March 6.—The Sixth Iowa district republicans, the old John F. Lacey stronghold, went for Taft with a whoop this afternoon.

## The Scarlet Fever Epidemic Checked

The scarlet fever epidemic in La Crosse, while still making slight gains, has been checked within the last two days according to Dr. J. M. Furstman. Since the order to discontinue the sale of the milk of the Linsie dairy there has been but two cases reported.

That the present epidemic originated from this source is strengthened in the belief of Dr. Furstman by the sudden check in the spreading of the disease following the order prohibiting the sale of milk. One of the last two homes placed under quarantine used the Linsie milk and it is not known as yet whether the other was a customer or not.

Dr. Furstman is still continuing his investigation in the hope of eliminating the disease.

## ORDINANCE ASKS 12 O'CLOCK CARS

Alderman Houska Will In-  
troduce Measure Affect-  
ing Street Car Service  
at Next Meeting

## MAY GO TO THE COMMISSION

State Railway Commission-  
ers May Be Asked to  
Take Hand in the  
Matter

Alderman Joseph Houska will introduce an ordinance at the meeting of the council Friday night whereby the La Crosse City Railway company will be ordered to continue the street car service until 12 o'clock at night, in the future. According to the provisions of the proposed ordinance street cars will leave Fourth and Main streets for all parts of the city at 12 o'clock. This will mean the lengthening of the present north side schedule by forty minutes and of the east division and south division by one hour.

The purpose of the ordinance according to Mr. Houska is to furnish better street car accommodation. He declares that people are often put to great disadvantage when arriving in the city on late trains and at other times through the early hour at which street car service is suspended.

There is a possibility that the council has no jurisdiction in the matter and should this prove to be the case, Mr. Houska declares that the matter will probably be taken before the state railway commission for settlement.

The present franchise of the La Crosse City Railway company stipulates that the company must provide service at regular intervals between the hours of 6 a. m. and 10 p. m. and no reference is made in any way providing for a change of this kind.

The question of whether or not the La Crosse City Railway company will oppose the proposed change cannot be learned owing to the fact that Peter Valier superintendent of the company is out of the city.

It is thought however, that the movement on the part of the conductors and motormen, calling for shorter hours will have a bearing in deciding the company to oppose the change.

## POOR- GAVE BOY AWAY

MOTHER TELLS POLICE SHE  
WANTED CHILD TO HAVE A  
GOOD HOME; ALLOWED  
HIM TO BE TAKEN

CHICAGO, March 6.—Mrs. Ida Porretto today notified the police that she is the mother of the three year old boy found by the police at Mount Morris, N. Y., in the custody of Roy Robinson. The police today started a search for the parents of the child believing him the victim of a kidnapping conspiracy.

Robinson told the authorities at Mount Morris that an Italian gave him the child in the Illinois Central depot here while he was waiting for a train and that when the man did not return, he took the baby along because he did not know what to do with it.

Mrs. Porretto told the police that her husband took the child away and later told her he had given him to Robinson, whom he described as a wealthy married man. The woman said she wanted the child to have a good home and for that reason consented to having him taken away. Porretto is said to be working in a restaurant at Hot Springs, Ark.

## MRS. TRANE IS DEAD

WIDOW OF RASTUS TRANE DIES  
OF OLD AGE AT THE  
HOME OF SON  
ERNEST

Mrs. Christena Trane, aged 87, died of old age at the home of her son, Ernest Trane, 611 Main street, at one o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Trane was born in Norway October 6, 1824, and she has resided in La Crosse for a long time. Her husband, Rastus Trane, died eighteen years ago.

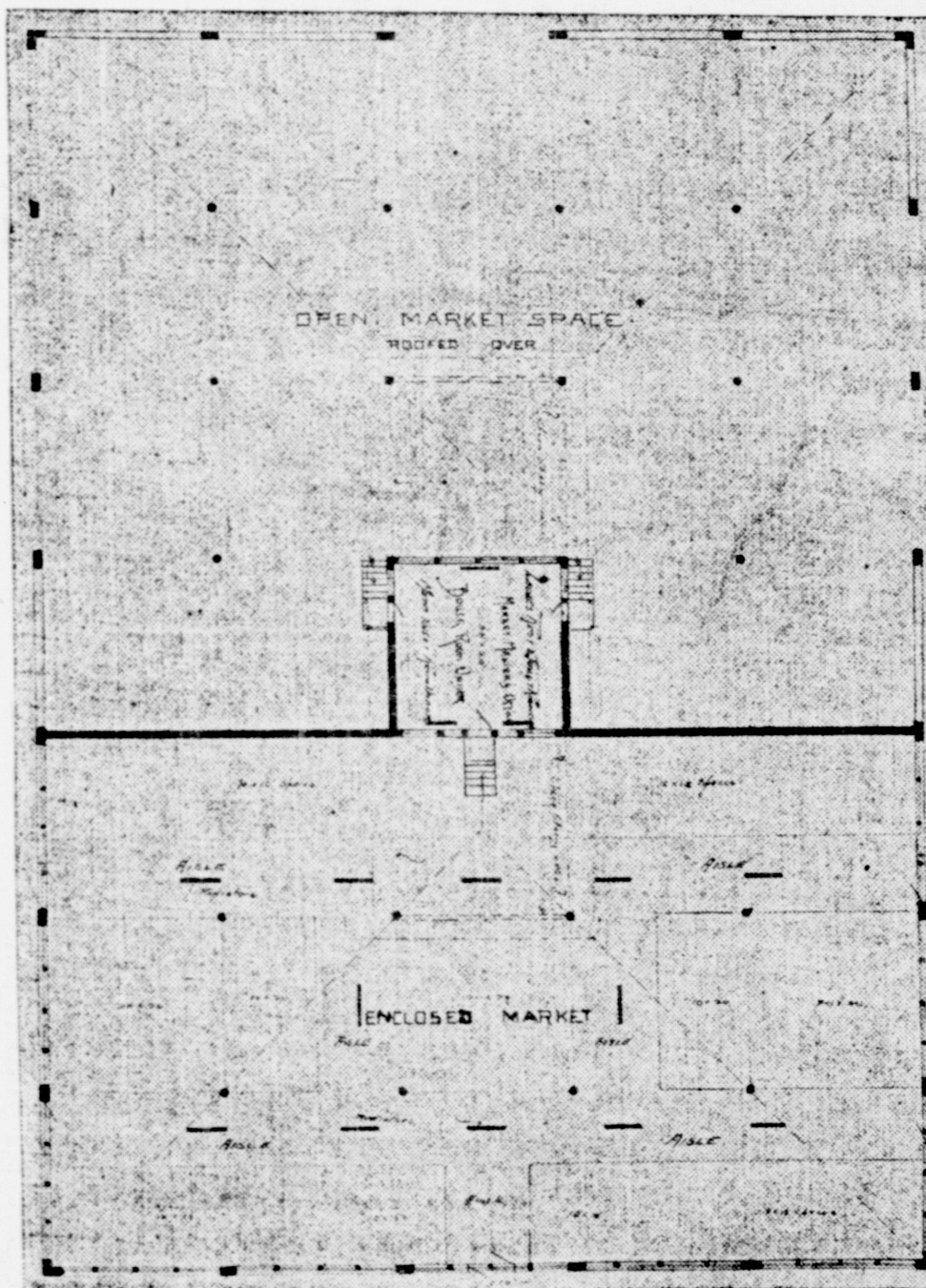
Surviving her are two sons, Ernest Trane and James A. Trane of La Crosse.

The funeral will be held at two o'clock Friday afternoon from the residence, 611 Main street, and at 2:30 from the Norwegian Lutheran church with Rev. H. G. Magelssen officiating at the services. Interment will be made in Oak Grove cemetery. Fessler & Dahl are in charge of the funeral arrangements.

## WILL APPEAL DECISION

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Determined to proceed criminally against the United Shoe Machinery company, on as many counts as possible, Attorney General Wickersham today instructed United States Attorney French to proceed to Washington for conferences relative to the taking of an appeal from Judge Putnam's decision rejecting various counts in shoe trust indictments.

## Proposed Plans For Contemplated Sanitary Market



These are tentative plans drawn by C. W. Noble for use of joint committees having market referendum under consideration. Estimated cost \$15,000.

## CLANCY TO GET POSITION AGAIN

Former Milwaukee Fire  
Chief to Be Reinstated  
by Order of Court;  
Charges Fall Through

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 6.—Thomas A. Clancy, chief of the Milwaukee fire department since 1905, suspended on August 5, 1911, following a trial before the police and fire commission on charges filed by Edward F. Weise, a discharged fireman, will be reinstated to office at once by virtue of a decision today handed down by Judge James B. Wickham of Eau Claire, who heard the formal appeal of Clancy's case in the circuit court commencing January 11.

Following his hearing of the case which lasted four days, Judge Wickham reserved decision until today. The original appeal was taken to the circuit court by Chief Clancy's counsel on October 7. Milwaukee circuit judges agreed to call in Judge Wickham to hear the evidence after various controversies in which prejudice was alleged.

The charges made by Weise against the chief were many and serious, ranging from misappropriation of funds to discharge of city firemen without cause. The chief denied the more serious charges.

Chief Clancy became a fireman in the ranks in 1885 and was appointed chief in 1905.

## COMMITTEES TO MEET

The proposed ordinance providing for the abolition of the office of the board of public works will be brought up at the meeting of the special street, ordinance and water committees at the city hall tonight. A report on the proposed ordinance will be made by the committee at the meeting of the council Friday.

## T. R. SUPPORTERS CONFIDENT

BOSTON, Mass., March 6.—Roosevelt republicans here issued a statement today saying that the presidential primaries and presidential preference bill which yesterday passed the senate by 31 to 2 votes, will pass the house as easily.

## MAY SETTLE THE COLLIERY STRIKE

Pressure Being Brought to  
Bear on Miners to Go  
Back to Work and  
Trust Government

## CONDITIONS GROWING WORSE

Number of Idle Increases,  
and Cost of Food Rises;  
Railroads Practically  
Useless

LONDON, March 6.—Enormous pressure was brought to bear on the members of the Miners' council today to persuade them to accept the government assurances that the minimum wage scale bill will be passed and to call off the strike. The situation is so acute that the members promised seriously to consider the latest promises of the government, especially when they were accompanied with the rough draft of the bill which it was expected would be introduced in parliament this evening. The measure, it was said, meets with the approval of many of the union leaders.

## Asquith Peacemaker

In addition the government is striving earnestly to have all questions at issue submitted to Sir George Asquith for settlement.

The opposition to him comes more from the employers than from the miners, but it was known the premier had hopes this opposition could be overcome.

Pressure to settle the strike is not confined so far as the miners' union is concerned, to official circles. The big boards of the other industries have added their influence. This is due to the great drain on their resources from their membership now out of work.

## Food Still Rises

Meanwhile the price of food continues to advance with the quantity for sale being steadily reduced. Hundreds of families in the slums of the big cities are without fuel. The stopping of railway traffic on the suburban lines has greatly interfered with workers getting to their places of employment and the crush in the stations still remaining open, approaches the danger point during the rush hours.

Lloyds have written thousands of dollars worth of anti-riot policies during the last few days.

## Newcastle Trade Dead

NEWCASTLE, Eng., March 6.—Nearly every industry in this city has been compelled to close because of the miners' strike. There is no fuel for heating purposes and the suffering is very great. Many stores have been compelled to close because their stocks were exhausted and there was no way of replenishing them because railway freight traffic is at a standstill.

## Scotland Paralyzed

GLASGOW, March 6.—Business in Scotland is absolutely paralyzed as the result of the miners' strike. Coastwise shipping is at a standstill. Liners are kept running because they are able to coal at their ports of call but the great fleet of steamers that have headquarters here are lying at anchor, the owners being unable to get coal to operate their machines.

Only a few passenger trains are running. The price of bread is going up and in many cities the authorities are already arranging to throw open the schools, churches and public buildings to house the poor who are suffering greatly from cold.

## ENGLISH MISSIONARY KILLED

PEKIN, March 6.—Rev. F. Day, a missionary, was shot dead by Chinese mutineers at Chin Chow today, according to word just received here. The Rev. Dr. Day was connected with the Church of England mission. His home address has not been ascertained. The Rev. Day was accompanied by F. S. Hughes, another missionary, who, according to last reports, was barricaded in the town hall at Chin Chow. A detachment of ten British soldiers was sent to Chin Chow today in an effort to rescue.

## Palm Fake Books Off On J. P. Morgan

NEW YORK, March 6.—Mail advices received here today from Cairo, Egypt, profess to give details of how J. P. Morgan, now traveling in Egypt, bought 57 Coptic books for \$7,000 a volume which were actually not worth \$25 a volume. In fact it is stated that the identical volumes were originally offered to members of a dozen European colleges and to accredited representatives of the British museum at \$25 a volume and refused at any price.

The report says that after failing to sell the volumes to museums and colleges, those who had them waited for J. P. Morgan and sold them to him through Arthur Sambon, Morgan's broker.

They told the American financier what a great bargain the books were and he paid over the money and ordered them sent to his New York home.

## PACKERS' TRIAL NEAR ITS END

Government Will Conclude  
Its Case Today; Believed  
Judge Will Overrule  
Dismissal Motion

## MONOPOLY WAS PROVED

Shown that by Exchange  
of Costs and Profits Pool  
in Restraint of Trade  
Was Formed

CHICAGO, March 6.—Declaring that the government's case against the ten millionaire packers, charged with conspiracy under the Sherman anti-trust law has been practically concluded, and that all that remains is the introduction of formal evidence concerning the incorporation of the various packing concerns alleged to compose the trust, United States District Attorney Wilkerson announced today that the prosecution would rest late this afternoon or early tomorrow. The evidence yet to be introduced before Judge Carpenter consists principally of documents.

Important evidence introduced by the government during the last ten days leads government attorneys to believe that Judge Carpenter will quickly overrule the motion which the defense has announced it will make to have the case dismissed for lack of proof, as soon as the government rests.

A member of Wilkerson's staff today gave out the following outline of the case the government claims has been made:

"The proof has sustained every count in the indictment that a combination in restraint of trade and in violation of the Sherman act exists in the following evidence:

## Monopoly of Supply

"A practical monopoly of the meat supply in certain sections of the country.

"Secret meetings of the owners of the large packing companies at which conspiracies to control supplies and regulate prices were consummated.

"What took place at these meetings is shown by circumstantial evidence in the subsequent acts of the companies, pursuant to a general design.

"The motives are presumptive and have been shown in the evidence of increased profits, restricted outputs and other benefits to the packers.

## Monopoly Pool Formed

"Repeated efforts to organize a gigantic combine were shown. Failing to organize a billion dollar corporation a monopoly pool was created that was just as effective.

"The individual companies gravitated toward each other by mutual interest at the beginning and finally organized a pool by which they sent each other price lists, test costs and rules for allowances for by-products.

"Through this exchange they evolved a highly perfected system of calculating costs and profits.

"By that system, which all adopted, they obtained uniformity of profits and they divided the territory and the business on a pro-rata basis according to the capitalization of each.

"The interchange of data, the co-operation against independents and the purchase of formidable competing concerns was shown.

"Finally, it was shown that to carry out the general scheme in restraint of trade the National Packing company, a clearing house of allied interests was organized."

## LOAN SHARK JAILED

CHICAGO, March 6.—John W. White, an official of the Mason financial company, was ordered arrested and sent to Joliet prison for ninety days by Judge Landis in the federal court today when the court grew dissatisfied with his answers in alleged "loan shark" investigation. The court declared the man was evidently guilty of perjury. The case was a bankruptcy hearing of Vernon A. White, no relation to the man sentenced. An injunction petition to restrain the Mason company from collecting money from White on a note as part of a loan shark crusade now in progress here.

## WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Thursday with rising temperature.

For Wisconsin and Iowa: Fair tonight and Thursday; slowly rising temperature.

For Minnesota: Unsettled weather and probably snow flurries tonight or Thursday; warmer east portion tonight.

**Weather Conditions**  
The pressure continues high east of the Rocky mountains and low over the plateau region and Pacific slope. The weather has been generally fair in the Lake region and upper Mississippi valley; elsewhere rain or snow has occurred. The temperature has moderated somewhat throughout the northwest and is slightly lower in the Atlantic states.

The weather will continue generally fair in this section tonight and Thursday with rising temperature.



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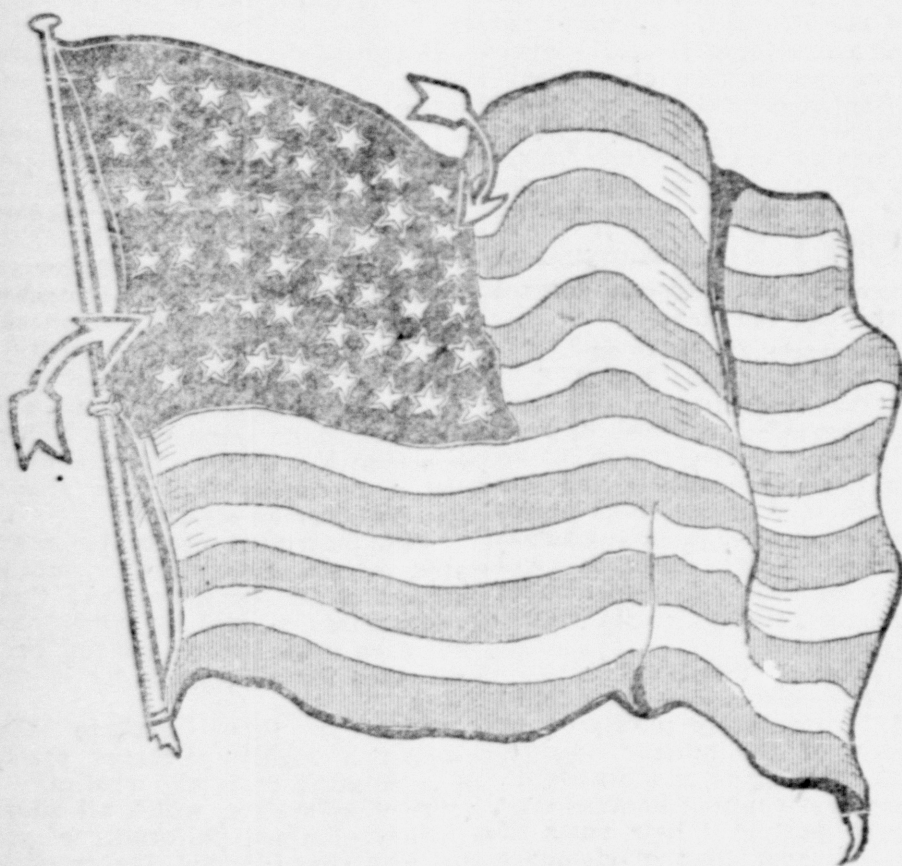
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## FLAG WILL GET TWO MORE STARS



Two stars will be added to the American flag on July 4. The field will be composed of even rows for the first time since 1865. Although the flags are already on the market with stars to represent the statehood of Arizona and New Mexico, these are not recognized by the army or navy.

Word has gone out from Washington that the new arrangement will be six rows of eight stars each. No change will be made except in the second and fifth rows.

These rows now contain seven stars each and are spaced between three in the rows above. Why do they not arrange them in the form of a circle? That would be violating a precedent as old as the nation.

You have seen old flags where they were arranged in that form. But those are not official and never have been recognized by the government. Nine-tenths of the flags which you see waving on holidays are wrong. There is only one place where you can be sure that the flag is correctly arranged—at the head of a regiment.

This is the first time since 1829 that more than one star has been added at a time. At that time stars were added for five states.

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

## STRONG FOR TAFT

CONCORD, N. H., March 6.—With a New Hampshire organization of more than 1,500 members per-

fecting, most of the members being not only pro-Taft but strongly anti-Roosevelt, according to speeches delivered at the organization meeting, the executive committee today began an active campaign for

RUMOR SOUTH  
POLE IS FOUND

Capt. Scott, England, Reported to Have Reached Goal Ahead of Norwegians and Japs

LONDON, March 6.—Reports are in circulation here today that Captain Scott, heading the British South Polar expedition, has landed the prize, defeating the Norwegian and Japan aspirants who started before him in the effort to locate the south pole. At the geographical society it was said the report had been heard there but that nothing was known of its authenticity.

Captain Robert F. Scott, a distinguished officer in the British navy, sailed from London on the steamer Terra Nova, June 1, 1910. He stopped at New Zealand and completed his fitting out there. His vessel was an old whaler that had been refitted and was especially adapted to bucking the southern ice. He led an expedition to the south pole in 1902 and 1904 when he managed to reach 82 degrees 30 minutes south which stood until Sir Ernest Shackleton lowered the mark in 1908 and 1909.

Shackleton was a member of Scott's original expedition. He managed to get within 111 miles of the mark when his supplies ran out and he had to retreat. He furnished Scott with much of his data and has been very confident that Scott will reach the long coveted goal.

spreading Taft propaganda. Practically every city and town in New Hampshire has representation in the league, which has unanimously adopted resolutions for a strenuous fight to instruct the state republican delegation solidly for Taft, no matter what the attitude of other state delegations may be on ensuing balloting, should there be necessity for more than one vote at the national convention.

WANT WATER ROUTE  
FROM NORTHWEST

GRAND FORKS, N. D., March 6.—The Red River to the Hudson Bay Navigation association the purpose of which will be to promote the movement looking to the establishment of a through waterway from the plains of the great northwest to Liverpool, England, was launched here today following last night's conference of mayors from western Minnesota, North Dakota and Manitoba. Mayor Waugh of Winnipeg predicted that James J. Hill would build a railroad from Winnipeg to Port Nelson, on Hudson Bay, which would furnish a direct line between the American northwest and England that would be 1,000 miles shorter than the present route through the great lakes and by way of New York.

The Road to Her Heart.  
"But what made you irritate her father?" "I had to do it. I wasn't any too popular with the girl until her father forbade me the house."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

BOARD OF TRADE  
SELECTS LEADER

William Doerflinger Elected for Third Term; Agrees to Serve; Other Elections Soon

William Doerflinger has accepted a third term as president of the board of trade. Mr. Doerflinger finally consented to accept the position this morning after a conference with a committee appointed to place the matter before him. At a meeting of the directors of the board of trade held at the La Crosse club at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mr. Doerflinger was again elected to head the organization despite the fact that he had expressed himself as desirous of withdrawing from the position.

At the adjournment of the meeting yesterday it was decided to hold another special meeting of the board of directors next Tuesday afternoon at which time a secretary and treasurer will be elected to serve until the next annual meeting.

The matter of the settlement of the bill of M. H. Collbohn, Madison, the electrical expert who acted in the interest of the board of trade, The Merchants' Protective association, North Side Progressive league and the Trades and Labor council at the hearing of the electric and gas rates held before the state railway commission at Madison was taken up at yesterday's meeting.

O. C. C. GIRLS HOLD  
ANNUAL BANQUET

The first annual banquet of the O. C. club of the Young Women's Christian association was held Tuesday night in the association rooms. The table had been prettily decorated for the occasion with the club colors, violet and white, with a centre piece of white roses and narcissi. Place club flower, the violet, hand colored club flower, the violet, had colored on them. The banquet not only marked the end of the club year, but was given for the new members who have just joined the club.

After a delicious repast a number of clever toasts were given by club members or former club leaders. Miss Magdalene Harmack acted as toastmistress. Following toasts were given:

There's been nothing like it (the year past), Eva Laylin.

What's in a name? (O. C. C.) Mrs. S. A. Boyd.

"The only way to have a friend is to be one"—Club Motto, Miss Marie Peterson.

Our new members, Stella Forbes. Response from a new member, Mary Jedlika.

A good time coming (the year ahead), Myrtle Moore, new president.

Impromptu talks were given by Mrs. Carl Ogden and Miss Dinsdale. Those present were: Stella Forbes, Magdalene Harmack, Edith Dickens, Ethel Ramsey, Eva Laylin, Charlotte Reimers, Georgina Storck, Mary Jedlika, Mabel Delap, May Engbreton, Myrtle Moore, Mrs. S. A. Boyd, Mrs. Carl Ogden, Miss Marie Peterson, Miss Tirza Dinsdale.

After the program a short business session was held. A vote of

DEVOTION TIRES  
DOCTOR HANISH

Cult Leader, on Trial for Shipping Obscenity, Declares Zeal of Women Devotees Sickening

CHICAGO, March 6.—The federal grand jury today listened to a description of the mysterious rites practiced by Dr. Ottoman Zar Adushit Hanish and his followers in their sun worshipping temple. Three children, temple inmates and followers, and servants of the "sun god" were taken before the inquisitors. Extracts from the books of Hanish entitled "Inner Studies" which the government declares are improper were read to the jury and printers and other witnesses told of the publishing and shipping of the books.

Hanish, who is at liberty under \$10,000 bail today declared that all his troubles have resulted from "too much devotion" by the feminine part of his temple.

Hanish insisted his philosophy was pure and highly moral. He said it was the science of "bodily dynamics" and induced physical and mental health. "The zeal of the women devotees of our religion," Hanish said, "has actually become so great as to be an embarrassment. Men have a natural jealousy in such cases and that is the reason for the attacks upon me. Many of my women converts insist upon keeping in constant communication with me. One of them addresses me as 'My Darling Son,' and another as 'My Divine Child.' As a matter of fact I detest this eulogism. It sickens me and palls on me but I cannot help it. My twenty-four hours in jail was really a rest for me and I am grateful for the experience."

## ROADS ARE APPROVED

COUNTY CLERK RECEIVES LETTER FROM HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVING OF COUNTY HIGHWAY SYSTEM

County Clerk Charles Rawlinson is in receipt of a letter from A. R. Hirst, acting highway engineer of the State Highway Commission in which he declares that after an inspection of the map of the La Crosse county state highway system he has approved of the same, with a few minor exceptions including a quarter mile of road which will be necessary in the Town of Burns to connect the highway between here and Sparta. The letter in full is as follows:

"Madison, March 2.  
"C. H. Rawlinson, county clerk,  
"La Crosse, Wis.,  
"Dear Sir:—

"I am returning to you under separate cover a copy of your road county map approved. The connections with Trempealeau county are all right. Unfortunately, Jackson and Vernon counties' maps are not yet in but they will be made to connect with your system. It is necessary to have a quarter of mile road in the Town of Burns as shown to join up the main Sparta-La Crosse road. Monroe county brings another road up to your county line in sections 25 and 36 and in town 18 and your road joining the county line in section 13 and town 17 is not met by Monroe county.

"I have suggested that Monroe county stop their north road just before it gets to the county line and that you do the same with the south road stopping possibly at the section line between 13 and 24. This would obviate making these two connections. You can, however, do as you see fit in this matter but the quarter of mile road mentioned must be placed on your map.

"Your road coming to the line between sections 13 and 24 in town 16 is not met by Monroe county and we have asked them to make such a junction.

"Yours very sincerely,  
"WISCONSIN HIGHWAY COMMISSION  
By A. R. Hirst,  
"Highway Engineer."

J. J. HARTLEY DIES  
AT HAMMOND, IND.

The funeral of J. J. Hartley, formerly a resident of La Crosse, who died of heart trouble at Hammond, Ind., Sunday, was held at Hammond this afternoon.

Mr. Hartley lived in La Crosse for twenty years during which time he had a shoe store on South Fourth street and was in the insurance business until he moved to Hammond three years ago. He was born in 1864 in the town of Campbell, where he received his education and resided for some time.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Hartley-Rand, Onalaska, a brother, W. T. Hartley, who lives on the Hartley farm, a widow and four children.

Estimation of Genius.  
Charles V. asked Michael Angelo one day in what estimation he held Albert Duerer. Then, with all the noble frankness of a man of genius, who knows how to appreciate superior talents, he instantly replied: "I esteem him so highly that I would if I were not Michael Angelo, much rather be Albert Duerer than even Charles V."—Life.

thanks was given to Mr. Klenahs who donated the flowers and it was also voted to give them to the visiting nurse to use in her work. The evening closed with music.

You've Heard of that Old  
Country Soft Soap—Now is  
Your First Chance to Test ItGet a 2 lb. Trial Can  
Today"The Wizard Soap  
of the World"

THOSE who remember the green soft soap they used in the old country have always been disappointed that they could never find it here. It was so much better than the hard cake soaps and powders of America.

The formula for that wonderful green soft soap has never been outside of one family—the family that started making it in Northern Europe back in 1753 and has never sold it outside of Europe.

But now we have a great-grandson of the man who first made that famous soap as our Chief Chemist. He inherited the formula. His family still make it for European housewives. He makes it for American housewives. And the company back of him—the company that has built his factory and equipped it, the company that markets his product—is American to the core. So now—today—at your grocer's you can get the genuine soft green soap of the Old Countries. That's just what it is—

GENUINE  
Old Country  
GREEN SOAP

Genuine Old Country Green Soap is an all-purpose soap. From lace curtains, woollens and the most delicate fabrics to scrubbing floors, washing dishes, and scouring porcelain tubs it's an immeasurable improvement over any soap you've been able to get before. And for any one purpose it far surpasses the best special soap, cleaner or compound.

Genuine Old Country Green Soap is also a "new-purpose" soap. It shows you new uses for a household soap. Take

window-washing, for instance. None of your "cake" soaps but will leave a film of grease on the glass. Not so "Old Country"—just try it.

And think of such an all-purpose cleaner which is not only not harmful, but positively beneficial, to the hands. There's no packing-house grease in its make-up, no rosin, no caustic soda, no minerals. Nothing but pure vegetable oils and best-grade potash, put together with the Old Country "know-how."

Get a 2 lb. can of "Old Country" today. In cans and pails up to 25 pounds. Price, 10 cents a pound and less, according to amount. Try it today; see how it will lessen your housework.



At Your Grocer's  
Norgaard Soap Company  
Winona, Minn.



## ROOSEVELT ANSWERS

ROOSEVELT DECLARES THAT IF HE HAD CONSULTED OWN WISHES HE WOULD NOT HAVE ENTERED RACE

MINEOLA, L. I., N. Y., March 6.—Replying to Secretary of War Stimson's statement in his speech at Chicago last night that those who had "forced him into the arena against Mr. Taft are jeopardizing instead of helping the real cause of progress of the nation," Colonel Roosevelt said today:

"The statement is correct only in the sense that it would be correct to make the same statement as to my advocacy of Mr. Stimson, for governor in 1910. In that contest, as in this I was exceedingly reluctant to be drawn into the contest. In that contest, as in this, I acted only from a sense of duty to the people as a whole, and in that contest I was assisted with precisely the same arguments by the great majority of

those who are now assailing me.

"If I had considered only my personal interests and personal preference I would, of course, have kept out of the 1910 campaign."

The colonel then settled himself comfortably in a chair to read until his name was drawn from the wheel for jury service.

Don't miss seeing the  
great court room scene  
in

"The Final  
Pardon"  
At  
THE LYRIC  
Tonight and Tomorrow

## Every Woman's Complexion

is bound to show whether or not she is in good physical condition. If the complexion is ruddy, the skin sallow; if pimples or skin blemishes appear it is her attention must be given to improve the bodily condition. There is one safe and simple way. Clear the system and purify the blood with a few doses of

## Beecham's Pills

This well known vegetable family remedy is famous for its power to improve the action of the organs of digestion and elimination. They will regulate the bowels, stimulate the liver, tone the stomach and you will know what it is to be free from troubles, from headaches, backaches, lassitude, and extreme nervousness. They will make you feel healthier and stronger in every way. By clearing your system of poisonous waste Beecham's Pills will have good effect upon your looks—these they

## Will Beautify and Improve

The directions with every box are of special value and importance to women.  
Sold everywhere. In boxes 10c., 25c.

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Where Can You Beat This Line to Select From?

WHITE gasoline cars, ranging in price from ..... \$2,250 to \$6,500  
The old reliable WHITE Steamers, ranging in price from ..... \$2,000 to \$4,000  
The Columbia-Knight, ranging in price from ..... \$4,100 to \$6,000  
The Stearns-Knight, ranging in price from ..... \$3,500 to \$5,400  
The Stevens-Duryea, ranging in price from ..... \$3,750 to \$5,000  
The Buick, ranging in price from ..... \$850 to \$1,800  
The Maxwell, ranging from ..... \$600 to \$1,480  
WHITE delivery wagons and trucks, from ..... \$2,100 to \$5,000  
Buick delivery wagons and trucks, from ..... \$1,000 to \$2,700

Besides the above mentioned cars we handle several other makes of pleasure cars and trucks. It will pay you to see our cars and talk it over with us before placing your order elsewhere.

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IT'S A GOOD  
BEGINNING

We hasten to congratulate Presi-  
dent Rasmussen, of the La Crosse  
County Game and Fish Protective as-  
sociation, upon the evidence that un-  
der his administration the new or-  
ganization proposes to get down to  
useful business.

As we understand it, the work of  
the society will be constructive. It  
will consist in propagation as well  
as conservation; it will adopt a broad  
view, recognizing commercial fishing  
and hunting as legitimate industries,  
and aiming to protect them as well  
as to foster sport. It will seek fur-  
ther perfection and enforcement of  
the game laws, but will attempt to  
make those laws just to the market  
fishermen as to the sportsmen, thus  
eliminating abuses and securing the  
co-operation of all for the common  
good.

When one "gets down to brass  
tacks," it must be conceded that  
legitimate commercial fishing does  
not interfere with legitimate sport,  
and that legitimate sport does not  
interfere with legitimate commercial  
fishing. It is the abuses of the fish-  
ing privilege that hurt—the exist-  
ence of bad laws and the violation of  
good laws. The laws, and the prac-  
tices of fishermen and hunters, can  
be so perfected as to work for the bet-  
terment of all classes. But this can-  
not be done so long as some men  
practice abuses and others, instead  
of devoting their energies to broad  
efforts to establish better conditions,  
apply themselves to retaliation, that  
does no good. The idea that market  
fishermen and hunters should be  
fighting each other, instead of put-  
ting their shoulders together for real  
improvements, is absurd. Anyone  
who knows the seiners and knows the  
sportsmen, knows that as soon as  
they get the idea of co-operation they  
can work together and get results.  
George Holzhammer is a commercial  
fisherman; Dr. Gatterdam is a  
sportsman. But these two men agree  
in the main regarding what should  
be done for the river, and so can all  
the other market fishermen agree  
with all the other sportsmen, if they  
will simply get their heads together  
in a friendly way.

Take, as a starter, the petition for  
like perch (sand pike) fry which

President Rasmussen has just for-  
warded to Washington. If the re-  
quest is granted, and a substantial  
plant of these fish is made, we may  
look to see, but a few years hence,  
these savory fish so abundant that  
pole and line fishermen can in an  
hour's sport get all they can use. To  
family fishing parties this will bring  
pleasant recreation. It will also aid  
the occupation of the pole and line  
market fishermen, and if propaga-  
tion proves as successful as it has in  
the east, the results will be of great  
commercial value, for in the east the  
sand pike has flourished so wonder-  
fully that in districts where seining  
is carried on upon an immense scale  
these prolific breeders have contin-  
ued to increase to such an extent  
that with restrictions as to fishing  
practically removed they continue to  
afford the most ample fish supply in  
the world. In this single step the  
new association has moved in an im-  
portant matter the beneficial results  
of which are fairly assured at the  
outset.

The Tribune urges fishermen and  
hunters to attend the meeting at the  
court house Thursday evening. This  
means ALL. Dr. Rasmussen and his  
associates propose to make the soci-  
ety broad enough and democratic  
enough for all. Whether you fish for  
fun or for a living, with a seine or  
with a fly, you are welcome. Don't  
stand in the background and kick  
when it is too late. Come to the  
front and talk things over and try to  
get things done right at the outset.

LET INCOME TAX  
ADJUST ITSELF

A story to the effect that a num-  
ber of smaller corporations in La  
Crosse have taken legal advice upon  
the question whether co-partnerships  
have any advantage over corpora-  
tions in the matter of income tax  
exemptions, has led to an examina-  
tion of the law along these lines, and  
the answer seems to be that no such  
discrimination exists, and that organ-  
izations proposing to abandon incor-  
poration for some other form of busi-  
ness association can gain nothing by  
the move.

In some way the idea seems to  
have gained currency that salaries  
paid by corporations are taxed as  
earnings of the corporation and again  
as income of the individuals; and that  
dividends of corporations are taxed as  
earnings of the corporation and again  
as income of the individual.

Section 1087m-3a specifically pro-  
vides that salaries shall be taxed but  
once, being exempted as corpora-  
tions earnings.

Section 1087m-4c exempts divi-  
dends paid by a corporation, and so  
reported, the individual in this case  
paying the tax.

Both these sections apply to both  
corporations and co-partnerships,  
and we can find no place in which  
the law discriminates against the  
one or in favor of the other.

The most persistent complaint  
made against the law is in relation  
to the fact that both real estate and  
the income from real estate are tax-  
ed.

On the surface, this does look bad,  
but it isn't as bad as it looks. Re-  
member, there is a fixed sum of  
money required to run the govern-  
ment. Most of this has been raised  
on real estate. If, under the new  
law, a great deal of money is raised  
by taxing incomes, the amount to  
be raised by taxing real estate will  
decrease in proportion. Don't expect  
this law to work itself out and jus-  
tify itself in every particular the  
first year. No new law ever did that.  
Men who own real estate have for  
years complained that salaried men  
with fat incomes and nothing invest-  
ed have escaped their fair share of  
the tax burdens; under the new law  
this will cease, and the land owner  
is bound to profit as soon as the  
system gets to working properly.

## Safer

A man who goes up to Maine each  
year for the hunting was quite sur-  
prised this season upon arriving at  
the village hotel to find one of the  
old and best known guides loafing  
about idle.

"Well, Lafe," asked the visitor,  
"don't you guide hunting parties  
any more?"

"No, I gave it up," slowly answered  
Lafe. "Got tired of being mis-  
took for a deer."

"I don't blame you. How do you  
earn your living now?"

"Guide fishin' parties now. So far  
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—Harper's Magazine.

## Literally True

Old Lady—I want you to change  
that parrot I bought from you—he  
doesn't speak at all, and you said  
he'd repeat every word he heard.

Shopman—Yes, madam, and so  
he would, but you took him in such a  
hurry that I haven't time to tell you  
he was deaf.—Tit-Bits.

## FLYNN BEATS DORAN

SYDNEY, N. S. W., March 6.—  
Porky Flynn of Boston yesterday de-  
feated Pal Doran, an Australian  
fighter, in eleven rounds of hard  
milling. Doran threw up the sponge  
in the eleventh.

Quips and Cranks  
and Wanton Wiles

**The Critic**  
In spring the sky is much too blue,  
And grass is much too green;  
It makes me shudder through and  
through,  
To gaze upon the scene.

In summer air is much too hot,  
And days are much too long;  
Though pessimistic I am not,  
There's always something wrong.

In autumn sky is much too gray,  
And grass is much too brown;  
I have to turn my head away,  
And cannot help but frown.

In winter, air is much too cold,  
And days are much too short;  
So mother Nature should, I hold,  
Be sent to school, and taught!  
—Harold Susman.

**Wisdom of Father**  
"My dad knows mo'n' George  
Washington did," said the small boy.  
"How's that?" queried the grocer.  
"Last night," continued the small  
boy, "when I told dad I hadn't been  
skatin' he said he know'd better, an'  
gimme a lickin' for lyin'." George  
Washington couldn't tell a lie, but  
dad kin tell one the minute he hears  
it."—Chicago Daily Socialist.

**He Relieved the Ministers**  
Two ministers were out on a sum-  
mer vacation, according to a story  
told at the annual banquet of the  
Cornell Alumni association the other  
night.

They came to a small village sev-  
eral miles from a small lake late in  
the afternoon of a hot and sultry  
day. No wagon could be secured to  
transport their heavy baggage to the  
lake, so they engaged a man to carry  
it for them.

After walking through the heat for  
the better part of an hour they  
approached the lake shore. Here they  
expected to meet a small boat to take  
them across the lake. By boat, the  
trip could have been made in a few  
minutes, but it was several hours' walk  
to the place.

As they came to the shore of the  
lake, they saw the little boat come  
distance out, rapidly making its way  
across the lake.

Being ministers, the two could do  
nothing but look at each other. The  
man who had been carrying the bag-  
gage, however, was under no such  
restrictions. His swearing was some-  
thing beautiful. Even the ministers,  
though horrified, turned and looked  
at him admiringly.

"Brother," said one of the minis-  
ters, looking at the other, "there are  
moments when the presence of the  
laity is necessary."—Free Press.

## Startling Discovery

Tony Lehman, the waiter, mixes  
in politics and was a loyal booster for  
Tom Barrett. When Tom was elected  
sheriff Tony came in for a reward  
legitimately and was appointed  
a guard at the jail.

Early in his incumbency he re-  
ported one day at a designated hour  
with the other guards for assignment  
to duty on a certain tier. The op-  
portunity being fair, one of the at-  
tendants swiped his watch humorously,  
and then asked him what time it was.

Tony on finding out his loss, ex-  
claimed: "Chiminy, dere are teevies  
in der chail."—Chicago Evening  
Post.

## He Left It

One of the guests at a hotel hur-  
ried to the clerk's counter. He had  
just ten minutes in which to pay his  
bill, reach the railway station, and  
catch the train.

When he had transacted his busi-  
ness with the clerk, and had turned  
to dash out of the door, it sud-  
denly occurred to him that he had  
forgotten some thing.

"Here, boy!" he shouted to the  
"boots," who was passing at that  
time. "Run to room 48 as quick as  
you can, and see whether I have a  
box on the bureau. But hurry; I've  
only got five minutes."

The boy rushed upstairs. In two  
or three minutes he returned, out of  
breath.

"Yes, sir," he panted; "you left  
it, sir!"—Ideas.

## An Interloper

WHO'S YOUR FRIEND?  
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## CONTINENTAL

HENRY N. BOEHM, MANAGER

Museum of Daily  
Facts and Freaks

**Water 2,000 Years Old.**  
NAPLES—Excavators found a  
copper boiler on a stove in the  
ruins of Pompeii. There was still  
some water in the vessel and scien-  
tists say it had been there ever  
since the eruption, 2,000 years ago.

**Explosive for the Heart.**  
LOS ANGELES—James McDon-  
ald, former Standard Oil official,  
has entered the longevity race with  
John D. Rockefeller and expects to  
be 100 years old by taking nitro-  
glycerine as a heart stimulant.

**Dog a Bridge Prize.**  
NEW YORK—A \$250 show dog  
was the prize for which society wo-  
men contested at a bridge party at  
Sherry's. Mrs. Stanley Gifford was  
the winner.

**Hanged from Airship.**  
BERLIN—Karl Rogers was  
hanged when a guide rope from the  
airship Parseval wrapped about his  
neck and carried him over 400  
feet in the air.

**Students Probe Living Cost.**  
NEW YORK—Prof. Morgan of  
Columbia has started a "cost of  
living class" among the students to  
determine why food products cost  
so much.

**Police "Loot" Bankrupt.**  
NEW YORK—Lieut. of Police  
William Egan, in the department  
fifteen years, has gone into bank-  
ruptcy. He owes \$69,970.

**To Save U. S. Bank.**  
NEW YORK—Henry Clews and  
other noted bankers have organ-  
ized a movement to save from the  
wreckers the historical assay office  
at 21 Pine street, which in 1831  
housed the Bank of the United  
States.

**Phones Satisfy Devices.**  
CHICAGO—Calling a phone  
"the snare of Satan," George Kuk-  
la wanted tenants who had in-  
stalled them ousted from his build-  
ing. Judge Sabath lectured him  
as a "superstitious foreigner."

**Medium Fails in Court.**  
CHICAGO—When Mrs. Anna  
Shoemaker, charged with fraud  
through spirit seances, failed to  
make the spirits answer in court  
for the benefit of the judge, she  
was fined \$25.

**200 Dogs Poisoned.**  
WAUSAUKEE, Wis. — Poisoned  
sausages strewn about the streets  
by unknown persons caused the  
death of two hundred dogs here.  
Only one dog escaped. Today is  
canine funeral day.

## SPOTLIGHTS

There are few things so interest-  
ing to theatergoers as the announce-  
ment that the original casts, produc-  
tions, etc., that played New York  
and also at the Blackstone The-  
ater, Chicago, are to be sent without  
change, in any detail, on the road.

In very few instances is this strictly  
observed, and no matter how excel-  
lent the substitutes may be, the de-  
ception practiced by the manage-  
ments, local and visiting, is far from  
palatable to those who pay the best  
prices for the best entertainment.

There is one New York manager who  
realizes this very particularly, and  
although his employees, over-zeal-  
ous and over-anxious to interest the  
playgoing public, may make state-  
ments in the advertising columns of  
which they are not quite positive,  
once in a while, very few disappoint-  
ments have been experienced. When-  
ever Mr. Frohman authorizes a state-  
ment it may positively be accepted  
as a fact, and the announcement  
that "Passers-By," coming as it does  
directly from the Criterion Theater,  
New York, will be played in this city  
exactly as it was presented in New  
York, is absolutely correct. Further-  
more, Mr. Frohman's conviction that  
he is offering the finest play that Mr.  
Haddon Chambers has ever written  
for him, may be just as certainly be-  
lieved by lovers of the very best of  
stage products. Few plays have had  
such emphatically excellent endorse-  
ments by the press of the two great-  
est English speaking countries, Eng-  
land and America. "Passers-By"  
was quite as brilliant a success in  
London as it has been in New York.  
With scarcely an exception, and ex-  
ceptions are invariably necessary to  
prove that real criticism was shown,  
the press of both countries said—  
"Exquisite," "Delightful," "Fasci-  
nating," "Humorous," "Absorbing,"  
"Human," "Original," running the  
gamut of adjectives that make for the  
finest theater affords.

It is a story of man and woman  
love—of delightful child interest; of  
tramp life and of those higher up.  
On one side, the aristocrat, on the  
other—the waif of the streets. It  
isn't fair to tell a story in advance, it  
takes from the interest, although we  
could tell all that might be remem-  
bered of "Passers-By" and there  
would be lots of interest left out if  
the critics are to be believed. Some-  
thing new and unexpected all the  
time, they say, and a happy denoue-  
ment, as it should be, as one would  
try to fashion it for oneself.

The original cast from the Crite-  
rion Theater, New York, will interpret  
the play here, opening at the La  
Crosse Theater, Saturday, March 9  
for one night only. Looking over the  
New York program we read the  
names of Richard Bennett, Julian  
Royce, A. G. Andrews, Ernest Law-  
ford, Louise Rutter, Ivy Hertzog,  
Katherine Florence and for the  
child's part, Norris Millington and  
Eddie Flugarth, who alternated in  
the baby role during the long New  
York run.

THE  
CARPET  
FROM  
BAGDAD

A New Novel  
By Harold  
McGrath

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Mahomed, no longer pacific,  
struck George violently upon the  
mouth. He, on his part, was un-  
willingly enough to attempt to sink  
his teeth in the brutal hand. Queer  
fancies flit through a man's head  
in times like this; for the ineffec-  
tuality of his bite reminded him of  
Halloweens and the tubs with the  
bobbing apples. One thing was cer-  
tain: he would kill this pagan the  
very first opportunity. Rather a  
startling metamorphosis in the  
character of a man whose life had  
been passed in the peacefullest en-  
vironments. And to kill him with-  
out the least compunction, too. To  
strike a man who couldn't help  
himself!

"Hey there!" he yelled. "Help  
for a white man!" After such  
treatment he considered it any-  
thing but dishonorable to break his  
parole. And where was Ryanne?  
"Help!"

Mahomed swung his arm round  
George's neck, and the third cry  
began with a gurgle and ended with  
a sigh. Deftly, the Arab rebanded  
the prisoner's mouth. So be it.  
He had had his chance for freedom;  
now he should drink to the bottom  
of the bitter cup, along with the  
others. He had had no real enmity  
against George; he was simply one  
of the pawns in the game he was  
playing. But now he saw that there  
was danger in liberating him. The  
other! Mahomed cursed his wily  
beard. To subject him to the ut-  
most mental agony; to break him  
physically, too; to pay him back  
pound for pound; to bruise, to hurt,  
to rack him, that was all Mahomed  
desired.

George made no further ef-  
fort to free himself, nor apparent-  
ly to bestir himself about the fu-  
ture. Somewhere in the fight, pre-  
sumably as he fell against the table,  
he had received a crushing blow in  
the small ribs; and when Mahomed  
threw him back, he fainted for the  
second time in his life. He reclined  
limply in the corner of the car-  
riage, the bosom of his shirt bulg-  
ing open; for the thrifty Arabs had  
unloosed the pearl studs, the gold  
collar buttons, and the sapphire  
cuff links. And consciousness re-  
turned only when they lifted him  
out and dropped him inconside-  
rately into the thick dust of the  
roads. He stirred again at his  
wounds, but presently lay still. The  
pain in his side hurt keenly, and  
he wasn't sure that the rib was  
whole. What time had passed  
since his entrance to the English  
Bar was beyond his reckoning, but  
he knew that it was yet in the dark  
of night, as no light whatever  
penetrated the cloth over his eyes.  
That he was somewhere outside  
the city he was assured by the tang  
of the winter wind. He heard low  
voices—Arabic; and while he pos-  
sessed a smattering of the tongue,  
his head ached too sharply for him  
to sense a word. Later, a camel  
coughed. Camels? And where were  
they taking him upon a camel?  
Bagdad? Impossible: there were too  
many white men following the  
known camel-ways. He groaned a  
little, but the sound did not reach  
the ears of his captors. To ride a  
camel under ordinary conditions  
was a painful affair, but to stride  
the ungainly brute, dressed as he  
was, in a swallow-tail and  
paper-thin pumps, did not promote  
any pleasurable thoughts. They  
would in all truth kill him before  
they got through. Hang the rug!  
And doubly hang the man who had  
sold it to him!

His whilom friend, conscience,  
came back and gibbered at him.  
Once she had said: "Don't do it!"  
and now she was saying quite hu-  
manly: "I told you so!" Hadn't  
she warned him? Hadn't she swung  
her red lantern under his very

Peculiar After Effects  
of Grip This Year

Leaves Kidneys in Weakened  
Condition

Doctors in all parts of the country  
have been kept busy with the epi-  
demic of grip which has visited so  
many homes. The symptoms of grip  
this year are very distressing and  
leave the system in a run down con-  
dition, particularly the kidneys which  
seem to suffer most, as every victim  
complains of lame back and urina-  
ry troubles which should not be  
neglected, as these danger signals  
often lead to more serious sickness.  
Local druggists report a large sale  
on Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root which  
so many people say soon heals and  
strengthens the kidneys after an  
attack of grip. Swamp-Root is a  
great kidney, liver and bladder  
remedy, and, being an herbal com-  
pound, has a gentle healing effect on  
the kidneys, which is almost im-  
mediately noticed by those who try it.  
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N.  
Y., offer to send a sample bottle of  
Swamp-Root, free by mail, to every  
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will convince any one who may be  
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nose? Well, she hoped he was sat-  
isfied. His reply to this brief jeremiad  
was that if ever he got his  
hands upon the rug again, he would  
hang on till the crack of doom,  
and conscience herself could go  
hang. Mere perverseness, probably.  
And where was it, since he was  
now certain that Mahomed had it  
not? It was Ryanne: Ryanne,  
smooth and plausible of tongue.  
Not being satisfied with a thou-  
sand pounds, he had stolen it  
again to mulct some other simple,  
trustful person. George, usually so  
unsuspicious, was now quite willing  
to believe anything of anybody.

He felt himself being lifted to  
his feet. The rope round his an-  
kles was thrown off. His feet  
stung under the renewed flow of  
blood. He waited for them to libe-  
rate his hands, but the galling  
rope was not disturbed. It was evi-  
dent that the natives still en-  
tertained some respect for his fight-  
ing ability. Next, they boosted  
him, flung a leg here and a leg  
there; then came a lurch forward,  
a lurch backward, the recurrence  
of the pain in his side, and he knew  
that he was upon the back of a  
camel, desert-bound. There were  
stirrups, and as life began to spread  
vigor once more through his legs,  
he found the steel. The straps were  
too short, and in time the upper  
turn of the steel chafed his instep.  
He eased himself by riding side-  
wise, the proper way to ride a  
camel, but with constant straining  
to keep his balance without the use  
of his hands. Fortunately, they  
were not traveling very fast, oth-  
erwise, what with the stabbing  
pains in his side, produced by the  
unvarying dog-trot, he must have  
fallen. He was miserable, yet de-  
fiant; tears of anger and pain  
filled his eyes and burned down his  
cheeks in spite of the cloth.

And he, poor fool, had always  
been longing for an adventure, a  
taste of life outside the peaceful  
harbor wherein he had sailed his  
cat-boats! Well, here he was, in the  
deep-sea water; and he read him-  
self so truly that he knew the ad-  
venture he had longed for had  
been the cut-and-dried affairs of  
story-tellers, in which only the  
villains were seriously discommod-  
ed, and everything ended happily.  
A dashing hero he was, to be sure!  
Why hadn't he changed his clothes?  
Was there ever such an ass? Ry-  
anne had told



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## DROPS FROM AIRSHIP



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ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Like Hans Pfaal's trip to the moon, Capt. Albert Berry dropped in the midst of a large assemblage of officers and soldiers at Jefferson Barracks recently, successfully performing for the first time a parachute drop from an aeroplane.

It was the first time such a performance was ever attempted, and its success was as pronounced as the lizard of the feat. Like an immense bird with its wings spread out, Capt. Berry glided over the parade grounds for a distance of 1,000 feet and then alighted about 300 feet from one of the mess halls.

The expedition was planned the previous night by Berry, Jannus, Tom Benoist, Frank M. Bell and the colony at Kinlock Park. They decided to make the flight without any previous announcement, fearing that weather conditions, which had been against them for two weeks, might cause another disappointment.

## KRUSE SEES GOOD BUSINESS SEASON

Fred W. Kruse returned Saturday from his trip to the New York market, where he and Mr. Olson of the La Crosse store made the largest spring purchases ever made by the Fred W. Kruse company.

Mr. Kruse believes that the coming spring will be a better business season, than any previous year and that business in general will not be hampered in any way by the fact that it is presidential election year.

Mr. Kruse selected large stocks of goods both for the Mankato and La Crosse stores and has chosen the choice of the New York markets.

"I learned in New York," said Mr. Kruse, "that buyers from all sections of the country were laying in large stocks. This is an indication that merchants everywhere are in an optimistic frame of mind and they are of the opinion that the presidential campaign will have no effect on business."

## GERMAN MINERS THREATEN STRIKE

BERLIN, March 6.—Because of the fear that the miners are certain to strike and that violence will accompany their walkout, the government today issued an order prohibiting the sale of arms. The situation in the coal districts is very threatening. The miners are holding meetings today and others will be held tomorrow, at which the question of a general strike will be definitely settled.

**MICHIGAN TAFT FIGHT ON GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., MARCH 6.**—Announcement was made today of the completion of the organization for handling the Taft pre-convention campaign in Michigan. According to G. K. J. Diekema, manager, the campaign will be pro-Taft and not anti-Roosevelt.

Mr. Postick has moved his household goods from 1512 Avon street, to 1102 Rose street.  
 Miss Edith McArthur of Rockford, Ill., is visiting friends and relatives here.

## NORTH SIDE NEWS

### PAINTERS CINCH CHAMPIONSHIP

Three Straight Games from Old Styles Settles North Side League Contest

The Painters now have the championship of the Commercial Bowling league cinched as they won three straight games from the Old Styles at the Combination bowling alleys last evening and they have a lead on the other teams which cannot be overcome. As only a few games remain to be played by the league teams the Painters will again win the championship.

Bowling a consistent game at all times the Painters had little trouble in beating the Old Styles in three straight games. With the exception of the second game, all of the matches were won by over 100 pins, the second game being won by 98 pins. In every game the Painters made scores well over the 800 mark, the records of the first and second games being 890 and 880 respectively, while in the third they made 813, their total for the evening being 2,593. Paulson of the Painters made high score for a single game with a mark of 210 which he made in the first game, while Verket made 199, and in the second game Paulson scored 186.

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|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Painters—             |     |     |     |
| Verket . . . . .      | 155 | 199 | 160 |
| Paulson . . . . .     | 210 | 186 | 170 |
| Poehling . . . . .    | 167 | 195 | 168 |
| Mekvold . . . . .     | 174 | 122 | 161 |
| Voves . . . . .       | 184 | 178 | 154 |
| Totals . . . . .      | 890 | 880 | 813 |
| Old Styles—           |     |     |     |
| Micklestead . . . . . | 146 | 182 | 138 |
| Osweller . . . . .    | 136 | 155 | 144 |
| Wittenberg . . . . .  | 176 | 168 | 158 |
| Squier . . . . .      | 155 | 167 | 117 |
| Long . . . . .        | 167 | 118 | 149 |
| Totals . . . . .      | 786 | 788 | 706 |

## REFUGEES ARE HELD

REBELS AT JUAREZ HOLD MEXICAN CITIZENS FOR RANSOM WHEN THEY TRY TO LEAVE

EL PASO, Texas, March 6.—His force increased by 300 men under Col. Jose de La Soto, General Pancho Villa, the federal leader, is again marching upon Chihuahua to attempt to take it from General Orozco's rebels. Villa now has 1,000 men. He lost many by desertion after Sunday's battle of Chihuahua, but it is denied that he had more than fifty killed in that engagement.

Juarez rebels under Colonel Antonio Ponce are getting funds by seizing wealthy Mexicans who pass through the city seeking safety on the American side and holding them for ransom.

The Vasquistas have torn up the track of the Mexican central railroad in Juarez in order to prevent refugees getting across the line before they can be held for ransom.

## LECHLEIDNER WILL BE BURIED HERE

The funeral of William Lechleider, a former resident of La Crosse who died in Milwaukee, will be held from St. John's church tomorrow morning at nine o'clock with Rev. Ritz officiating at the services. Mr. Lechleider's body will arrive in the city tomorrow morning. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

Mr. Lechleider, who was 73 years old, died of complication of diseases after an illness of several weeks. He resided in La Crosse for many years, having come here in the early days, and he was a cook on the Mississippi river steamboats for some time. From 1880 to 1889 he was a patrolman in this city. He was a captain in the civil war.

He is survived by his widow, four daughters, Mrs. Bert Ballard, Milwaukee, Mrs. Lena Fishbach, St. Paul, Mrs. William Edwards, Beardstown, Ill., and Miss May Lechleider, Beardstown, and one son, Charles Lechleider, of Milwaukee.

## TWENTY-SEVEN WORK TRAINS ON THE "Q"

According to a report the C. B. & Q. railroad will start out twenty-seven work trains from here on April 1 and the men will be employed to repair and lay double tracks wherever they are needed. A large number of men will be needed to lay these double tracks which will be located at points along the way from Savanna, Ill., to Minneapolis and St. Paul.

## VANDERBILT TO HEAD SYSTEM

NEW YORK, March 6.—In confirmation of the report that William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., will eventually become the active head of the entire Vanderbilt system came his election today as vice president of all of the New York Central lines. In this position young Vanderbilt will be more closely in touch with the properties so long identified with his family and it is considered certain that when President Brown retires, Vanderbilt will assume the presidency of the big corporation. While President Brown was in Europe last summer W. K. Vanderbilt acted in his stead.

## A Strange Duel Is Being Fought at The Lyric

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

## NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Jas. Smith, plumbing and heating, 912 Caledonia St., New Phone, 618-R.

The John Flynn Relief corps will hold their society at the hall on Mill street tomorrow afternoon.

District Superintendent P. M. Petersen of Minneapolis and Rev. B. Oakland of Newborg, Minn., will preach in the Norwegian M. E. church, Berlin and Sill street, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 8 o'clock.

Cleason Wiles of Proctor, Minn., is visiting his parents on the north side for a few days.

Elmer Burkinn, Ferryville, is a business caller in the city today.

Ole Eggie from Ferryville is visiting friends on the north side today.

Floyd Thomason left yesterday for Fall River, Wis., where he has accepted a position.

William Parker is going to Fall River, Wis., where he will meet Mr. Thomason.

Andrew Harpestead, who was visiting on the north side yesterday, has returned to Westby.

Mr. Powers of the claim department of the C. M. & St. P. railroad from Minneapolis, is in the city on business today.

Emil Rogowski went to Hokah yesterday to remain there for a few days.

Miss Anna Olson returned to Viroqua yesterday after visiting friends on the north side for a few days.

The Sunday school teachers of the North Presbyterian church will meet this evening at the home of Mr. R. Gifford, 1427 Avon street at seven o'clock sharp.

Mr. C. R. Graf of 1720 Charles street, engineer on the Burlington, has gone to Beardstown to help out during the rush.

Mr. H. W. Smith of 1539 Prospect street, engineer on the Burlington, has gone to Savanna, where he is in charge of a switch engine.

Dr. Grey, physician for the Burlington, was called to Grand Rapids, Mich., on account of the serious illness of his sister.

John Myers is the guest of friends in Chicago for a week.

Alf Bolstad of Minneapolis, who visited with north side friends, has returned to his home.

George Skemp, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Dubuque, Iowa, has returned to his home, 1633 Kane street.

A. A. Richards, who has been the guest of friends and relatives in Dubuque, has returned to his home here.

The Oriental Limited No. 52, on the C. B. & Q. was three hours late yesterday, arriving at Grand Crossing at three p. m.

C. W. Hunt of Chicago was a business visitor here yesterday.

Miss Marcella Zoeller is ill at her home, 830 Wall street.

Mrs. Tracy, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Minneapolis, has returned to her home on the north side.

Mrs. Elmer Merwin and children, Vera and James will leave soon for Trempealeau, where they will spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Wm. N. Kloss, who has been visiting relatives and friends at Soldiers Grove, and other nearby towns, has returned to the home of Mrs. A. E. Peterson, 1553 Berlin street.

## Eating Slowly

is good practice, if you have plenty of time—and even if you haven't.

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## LABOR CONDITIONS UP AT CONVENTION

Enforcement of Factory Laws Is Subject at Conference of Employment Bureau Supts.

MADISON, Wis., March 6.—An enforcement of factory laws as vigorous as any in any state in the union will follow a conference of state factory inspectors, women assistant superintendents of state free employment bureaus, and inspectors of the federal bureau of labor, who are holding daily sessions here this week. The meetings are designed to familiarize the inspectors with Wisconsin's new laws governing the working hours, child labor, sanitation, safety, etc. Miss Marie L. Obenauer and Miss Marie Bradley, formerly of the University of Wisconsin, said to be two of the best factory inspectors in the federal service, are aiding the Wisconsin officials.

Miss Obenauer led a discussion yesterday afternoon on occupational diseases in laundries. The advisability of layman questioning on medical matters was considered. Miss Obenauer would have physicians make a thorough medical diagnosis of employees in factories, laundries, etc. Care should be taken, she said, to avoid irritating both employees and employers in their efforts to get the facts. Miss Obenauer said the heat in some laundries in summer is unbearably high and some means of deflecting it is necessary.

State Factory Inspector Ira Lockney said he gauged the heat in an Oshkosh laundry at 120 degrees. A foreman saw him do so and slyly shut off the gas.

Excessive vibration in buildings not architecturally adapted to factory work and the use of heavy machines was criticised as bad for the physical wellbeing of employees. Nervous wrecks were said to result. Inspector Lockney told of a foreman who learned to walk around the factory on tiptoes to reduce the vibratory effect on his body, until by force of habit he walked constantly on tiptoes in his own home.

C. W. Price, assistant to the industrial commission as supervisor of safety work, discussed safety measures, with especial references to the guarding of machinery. He spoke this morning on sanitation. Taylor Frye and Factory Inspector J. L. Norris will speak this afternoon on child labor.

## PINCHOT TALKS FORT R.

DECLARES HIS DISMISSAL BY TAFT FROM GOVERNMENT SERVICE WAS A HELP. NORTH DAKOTA FIGHT HOT

DEVILS LAKE, N. D., March 6.—"My attacks upon President Taft are not the result of my enforced resignation from the government service. My dismissal aided me greatly and gave conservation a stronger footing than ever," declared Gifford Pinchot in an address here today in his tour of the state in the interests of the Roosevelt candidates for delegates at the primary election.

The ante-primary fight for delegates to the national convention throughout the state is bitter and the split among the republican progressives is very marked. The La Follette managers are urging voters who prefer Roosevelt to Taft to join under the La Follette banner as they declare also that this is the only way

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voters can be sure of having delegates who will fight for a progressive presidential candidate and a progressive platform as, they say, the Roosevelt delegates, if elected, will make Taft their second choice.

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| Overdrafts . . . . .  | 1,628.54       |
| U. S. bonds to secure circulation . . . . .                 | 250,000.00     |
| Municipal bonds to secure postal savings deposits . . . . . | 29,000.00      |
| Other bonds . . . . .                                       | 850,700.00     |
| Banking house . . . . .                                     | 50,000.00      |
| Other real estate . . . . .                                 | 100.00         |
| Cash Resources—   |                |
| U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits . . . . .              | \$ 30,000.00   |
| With banks . . . . .  | 1,043,809.24   |
| With treasurer U. S. . . . .                                | 12,500.00      |
| In vaults . . . . .   | 270,369.63     |
| Total . . . . .   | \$5,274,902.50 |
| LIABILITIES.  |                |
| Capital . . . . .   | \$ 250,000.00  |
| Surplus . . . . .   | 400,000.00     |
| Undivided profits . . . . .                                 | 41,311.58      |
| Reserved for interest . . . . .                             | 2,500.00       |
| Circulation . . . . .                                       | 245,800.00     |
| Bonds borrowed . . . . .                                    | 29,000.00      |
| DEPOSITS . . . . .  | 4,306,290.92   |
| Total . . . . .   | \$5,274,902.50 |
| UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.                                   |                |

## ON THE FIRING LINE



Photo by  
 BURKE & ATWELL

AMERICAN TROOPS  
 ON MEXICAN BORDER

EL PASO, Texas.—This is one of the first actual photographs of the United States artillery on the firing line between Mexico and the United States during the present outbreak in Mexico. While intervention is not anticipated by the United States everything is in readiness for a quick move should such a step be necessary.

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### BAD MEN AT BAY

MEEKER, Col., March 6.—Reports reached here today that Sheriff's posse which have been seeking Andrew Comstock, gun man, and Willard Saller White, wanted on charges of forgery, have surrounded the men in an abandoned coal mine twenty miles from here and are preparing to smoke them out. The posse plan to pile fagots at the entrance to the mine and burn them, forcing the fugitives to come out in the open or suffocate. The men Monday night escaped from the Moffat county jail.

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### CHICAGO BOWLERS MAKE SENSATION

CHICAGO, March 6.—Arthur Swanson and Al Salander of the Camp Kiowa league of Chicago bowlers are the heroes of the American Bowling tournament for their sensational bowling on the alleys in the dormitories and individual games last night. Playing the doubles these cracks took first place with a score of 1126. Then Swanson rolled 639, taking top position in the individuals while his partner took second with 607. Salander's final ball in the singles gave him first position in all events as an all-round bowler. He has knocked down 1838 pins since he came on to the alleys.

H. Davis and W. H. Heenan of the Jacksons of Jackson, Mich., the second best pair of the day.

The five-men teams failed to show average form last night and standings were not changed.

Huntington, W. Va., Lake Forest, Ill., Delaware and Dayton, Ohio, bowlers were scheduled to roll today in the individual and double events.

The executive board of the congress yesterday prepared several amendments of the rules for presentation to the delegates in the business meeting tomorrow. The most important of these provides a minimum weight for pins of two pounds twelve ounces and a maximum of three pounds six ounces.

### WANTS MORE TROOPS

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Minister Calhoun has cabled to Manila for 700 additional troops to guard the legation in Peking from the mutineers, according to a dispatch received by the war department today. The action was taken after a conference between the foreign representatives in Peking, all of whom decided to ask their governments for reinforcements.

QUEEN ALEXANDER BETTER  
LONDON, March 6.—Positive denial was made today of the report that the condition of Dowager Queen Alexandra, who has been ill of influenza, was grave. A bulletin issued by the doctors said that she was progressing favorably and her recovery was believed to be assured.

## PERSONALS

When in doubt, go to the Bijou. The Concordia Aid society initiated fourteen new members at the regular meeting in Concordia hall last night. The society is planning on a dance for the members to be given March 17.

The Durham Duplex Safety Razor, 35c, at Hebbard's.

John Dwyer, giving Chicago as his home, was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail for vagrancy by Judge Brindley today.

Taxicab for hire. Both phones 123. C. Halseth, who has been employed in the offices of the J. I. Lamb company, this city, during the last year, left today for Saskatchewan, Canada, where he has accepted an advantageous position.

Get a Durham Duplex Safety Razor at Hebbard's while they last, 35c.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Zimmerhake, Caledonia, Minn., have returned to their home after spending a few days visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

J. R. Davy of Caledonia, Minn., visited in La Crosse yesterday.

Otto Larson, Lansing, Iowa, is a business caller in the city today.

Hebbard & Co. have received a new supply of the Durham Duplex Safety Razor, 35c.

L. Field, a resident of Westby, is a La Crosse visitor today.

Ed Wilson came to the city from De Soto yesterday to remain here for a few days.

Miss Gussie Gilbertson announces the opening of parlors, for the most approved sanitary methods of hairdressing, manicuring and massaging, at the McMillan building, rooms 302-304. Phone 1202-A.

John Hoffman from Dubuque, Iowa, was in the city on business yesterday.

The greatest accomplishment of animal training, the Monkey Hippodrome, at Majestic Thursday.

John W. Potter of Caledonia, Minn., was in the city yesterday.

J. G. Robertson, Rushford, Minn., is visiting in the city today.

Fresh lobsters 60c a piece at Schrank's Cafe.

The regular monthly meeting of the fire and police commission will be held at the city hall tonight.

John Vaaler, who lives in Spring Grove, Minn., is a business caller in La Crosse today.

J. F. Lapitz, plumbing and heating, 121 So. Sixth. Both phones.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Haynie, Madison, Wis., a baby girl, on March 5.

Taxicab for hire. Both phones 123. The Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. H. Sanders, 528 South Eleventh street, Friday at 3 p. m.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Mr. W. H. Dozier, special representative of the Pyrene company of Illinois is in the city today and will give a demonstration of fire extinguishers at Gund's brewery within the next few days.

If you want a carriage, get the Gateway City Trif. Line, phone 179.

Mrs. C. W. Holta, Bangor, arrived here this morning to spend a few days visiting relatives in this city.

William Owen has returned to La Crosse after a short visit to Stoddard.

Impossible to obtain the Monkey Hippodrome longer than 3 days, as all their time is contracted for two years. At the Majestic Thursday.

Mrs. A. Hessa, Bangor, is the guest of friends and relatives in this city today.

## CHANGED HER APPEARANCE

Friends Living Only Two Blocks Away Did Not Recognize this Lady and Refused to Speak to Her

ATLANTA, Ga.—"Some of my friends, who live only two blocks from me, did not know me when they met me on the street the other day," writes Mrs. Mattie Christopher, of this city.

"I look so much better now, than they ever saw me. They were surprised, and asked me to excuse them for not speaking to me."

I told them I felt better too, and that it was all due to Cardui, the woman's tonic.

I had suffered for 20 years with female trouble, which, at times, was so bad that for six weeks I would go on without seeing anything.

Home remedies and doctors' medicines did me no good, but Cardui worked like a charm.

I will always praise Cardui for what it has done for me.

If you are pale, don't use the rouge pot and change your appearance by artificial means.

Follow a more natural course and take Cardui, the woman's tonic.

It will enrich your blood, build up your constitution, and make you look better and feel better as it has been doing for other ladies during the past half century.

Get a bottle from your druggist. He sells and recommends it.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64 page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

### CHARMS CAPTIVATE ASTOR



INA CLAIRE

NEW YORK CITY.—William Vincent Astor, son of Colonel Jacob Astor, and Harvard freshmen, who have been reported engaged to heiresses twice in as many years, is said today to have been captivated by the charms of Miss Ina Claire, the prima donna of "The Quaker Girl," now running at the Park Theater, New York.

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL AND NATIONAL DELEGATE ELECTION  
Office of the County Clerk, County of La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at an election to be held in the several towns, villages and wards of the County of La Crosse, on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1912, being the second day of such month, the following officers are to be elected:

Four DELEGATES-AT-LARGE from each political party in the state to the National Convention of such party.

Two DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention from each political party, in the Seventh congressional district.

A CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, comprised of the counties of La Crosse, Monroe, Trempealeau and Vernon, to succeed Edward C. Higbee, whose term expires the day preceding the first Monday of January, 1913.

Given under my hand and official seal at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, Wisconsin, this 5th day of March, A. D. 1912.

C. H. RAWLINSON,  
County Clerk.

### Our Careful and Pains-taking Methods in Watch Repairing

produces the best results. The watches we repair run to the second. Why take chances with cheap repair shops when good work done by us only costs a little more and you have your watch repaired carefully?

W. T. IRVINE, Jeweler

## :: SOCIETY ::

### PLEASANT AFTERNOON

AT MRS. SUITER'S  
Mrs. F. C. Suiter entertained at a charming coffee yesterday afternoon. About twenty-five guests were present. They carried their fancy work with which they whiled away the hours interspersed with spicy talk and a little gossip. The assisting ladies were Mrs. E. G. Perkins, Mrs. F. T. Servis and Mrs. D. G. MacMillan. This function is one of a series that Mrs. Suiter is giving.

### SLEIGHING PARTY

Miss Gertrude Hogan entertained at a sleighride yesterday a number of the friends of Mrs. Alfred Anderson. The party left at 10 o'clock and drove to the Rogers farm a few miles south of the city. A delicious dinner was in readiness upon their arrival. Those of the party were Mesdames Alfred Anderson, S. W. Anderson, W. L. Crosby, Mary Austin, A. F. Espersen, F. J. Smith and L. C. Colman.

### BIRTHDAY LUNCHEON

Mrs. J. W. Skinner entertained at a luncheon yesterday in honor of the birthday of her mother, Mrs. I. H. Moulton.

### UNIVERSALIST MEETING.

A special parish meeting of St. Paul's Universalist church will be held in the Sunday school room at 7:15 Friday evening, March 8.

E. L. SPICER, Secy.

### FRENCH HONOR BACON

RETIRING AMBASSADOR AND WIFE RECIPIENTS OF MANY GIFTS, FETED BY OFFICIALS OF FRANCE

PARIS, March 6.—Regret that he was retiring from France was personally expressed to the U. S. ambassador, Robert Bacon, by noted Frenchmen this afternoon, including Baron Destourelles de Constant, leader of the universal peace party in the senate, and other advocates of closer relations between France and the U. S. Both Senator De Constant and Premier Poincaré, who made formal addresses, praised Bacon's official conduct here which they said aided the cause of peace.

The noted sculptor, M. Augustin Roden personally presented to the retiring ambassador a bronze designed by him.

Mrs. Bacon was given a medal designed by the late M. Carriere, President Dubusta of the senate making the presentation.

### NEED ESCORT FOR KNOX

MANAGUA, March 6. — Secretary of State Knox and his party spent today in Managua after their experience of traveling the 100 miles from Corinto with two trains, carrying soldiers and machine guns, acting as an escort for their special train. Anti-American propaganda has been circulated by former members of the Zelaya party in Nicaragua and it was found an attack might be made on the special train during the trip here.

### COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE

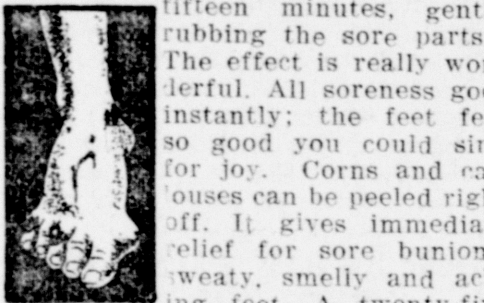
LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes cause. Call for full name. Look for signature E. W. GROVE. 25c.

### FRENCH SHIPS TO CHINA

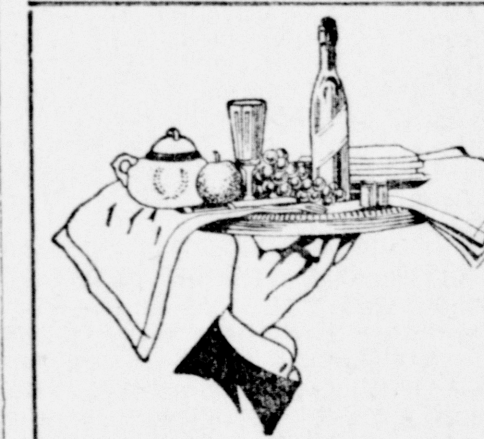
PARIS, March 6.—The cruisers Decide and Kelliver have been ordered to China and the cruised Descartes to Mexican waters to protect the French interests.

### Quickest Relief Known For All Sore Feet

The following is absolutely the surest and quickest cure known to science for all foot ailments: "Dissolve two tablespoonsful of Calocide compound in a basin of warm water. Soak the feet in this for full fifteen minutes, gently rubbing the sore parts."



The effect is really wonderful. All soreness goes instantly; the feet feel so good you could sing for joy. Corns and callouses can be peeled right off. It gives immediate relief for sore bunions, weaty, smelly and aching feet. A twenty-five cent box of Calocide is said to be sufficient to cure the worst feet. It works through the pores and removes the cause of the trouble. Don't waste time on uncertain remedies. Any druggist has Calocide compound in stock or he can get it in a few hours from his wholesale house. It is not a patent medicine but is an ethical preparation.



those diseases and make you feel like a new person.  
25c per box, five boxes \$1.00

HOESCHLER BROS.

## See Eczema Disappear



### Watch the Wonders Worked by POSLAM On Any Affected Skin

Day by day, Eczema or any skin trouble when treated with POSLAM may be seen to grow less and less until it finally disappears and the skin regains its normal health and color.

The terrible itching, which causes sleepless nights of aggravation, is ended at the very outset. Simple to use, harmless, yet marvelously active in healing power, POSLAM is the persistent enemy to all of the various disorders which beset the skin. It is invaluable in hospital and household, invaluable to you if affected with Eczema (wet or dry), Acne, Herpes, Rash, Itch, Pimples, Scaly-Scale or any like disorder. Minor troubles are cleared away with a rapidity that is startling, results being apparent OVERNIGHT.

### POSLAM SOAP

Medicated with Poslam  
A thoroughly antiseptic soap of utmost benefit to the skin — prevents disease and infection — delightful for every toilet purpose.

LARGE CAKE, 25 CENTS

Price 50 cents. For Sale by  
Clas. A. Fey-chag, C. N. Euler  
Hebbard & Co. and all Druggists.

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For FREE SAMPLE OF POSLAM, sign this coupon and send it to the EMERGENCY LABORATORIES, 32 West 25th Street, New York City.

### TO MANAGE ROOSEVELT CAMPAIGN



Now that the generals who will lead the Roosevelt campaign have been announced, the responsibility of success or failure will rest largely upon the shoulders of the following men:

Senator Joseph M. Dixon of Montana, commander-in-chief.  
Alexander H. Revell, millionaire merchant of Chicago, chairman of the national Roosevelt committee.

Edward W. Sims, former United States district attorney of Chicago, secretary of the committee.

Frank Knox, editor of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., chairman of the republican central committee of Michigan, vice chairman.

William L. Ward, national republican committeeman of New York.  
Walter F. Brown, chairman of the republican state central committee of Ohio.

Cecil Lyon, national republican committeeman of Texas.  
Senator William F. Ewing of Pittsburg.

Truman H. Newberry, former assistant secretary of the navy under Roosevelt, chairman of the administrative committee.

Senator Dixon will have headquarters at Washington; Mr. Knox will be in charge in Chicago, and Mr. Ward in New York, while Mr. Lyon will look after the campaign in the south.

### MITCHELL STANDS PAT

A. F. OF L. VICE PRESIDENT JOINS GOMPERS AND MORRISON IN REFUSAL TO APOLOGIZE

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Declining to accept what Justice Wright intimated might be immunity from further proceedings in the renewed Bucks Stove and Range company case if he apologized for past actions, Vice President John Mitchell of the Federation of Labor today stood pat on his testimony.

"I would feel more contentment if convicted, conscious of the rectitude of my course, and the truthfulness of my evidence, than if acquitted on any other grounds than the facts as they have been presented and the law as it has been enunciated by the higher tribunal," he said in a letter to Justice Wright.

The three labor leaders—Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison—have made virtually the same answer to Justice Wright's invitation. Final hearing of their cases will begin next week.

### LODGE DEFEATS POINDEXTER

WASHINGTON, March 6.—By taking advantage of the fact that the arbitration treaties were privileged business, Senator Lodge yesterday prevented consideration of the Poincaré resolution providing for an investigation of labor conditions at Lawrence, Mass. When Poincaré attempted to call up his resolution Lodge objected and demanded that the regular order, which was the arbitration treaties, be proceeded with.

Probably there are exceptions, but brewers and Shetland ponies usually are fat.

I WILL ADMIT THIS—

There are men trying to fit glasses, correctly, who are not qualified to do so.

Even department stores, 10 cent stores, jewelers and peddlers will sell you glasses and attempt to fit your eyes if you let them.

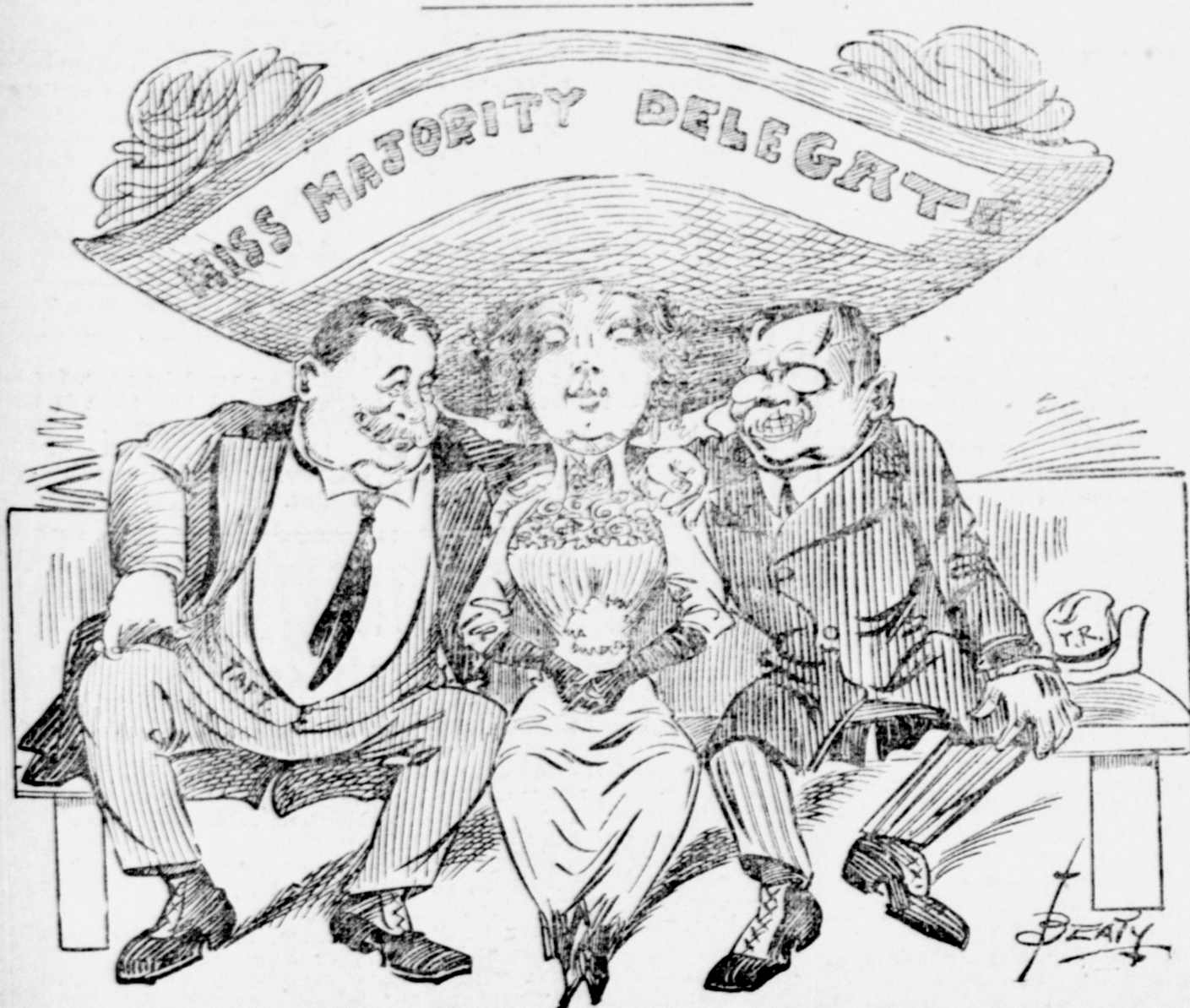
My references are among physicians, lawyers, teachers, preachers and business men, all of high repute. Just ask them.

"THEN YOU'LL COME TO ME"

**Alley-Evenson**  
EYE-SIGHT SPECIALIST

500 MAIN STREET, UPSTAIRS

### EACH CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS





## SUCCESS OF MINNESOTA BOY HEALER

Has Met Many Prominent La Crosse People and Treated Scores by Laying On of Hands

Mr. Gallagher, better known as the Minnesota Boy Healer, has made a lasting impression upon this community since locating here a few weeks since. He has gained many acquaintances which includes many well known citizens. The local newspapers have from time to time published some of the news regarding cases he has had and told how he effected cures. The story of the illness of Mrs. Johnson and the little Nelson girl of Blandinsville created much interest, and letters from both these grateful sufferers were printed in these columns. Mrs. Johnson was in such a condition that she could not comb her hair,



and her husband testifies to the wonderful curative powers of the Boy Healer. The little Nelson girl had her sight restored by him. Numerous other cases practically as wonderful have been successfully treated by him, and he has countless testimonials. The ability to cure is a natural gift with him and he as possessed it since childhood. Years ago his marvelous powers were first demonstrated and gained for him the title of Boy Healer. In the northwest where he resided his fame quickly spread and he was called to distant points to rescue many who had given up hope. He accomplishes the miracles by the laying on of hands, using absolutely no medicines or appliances. Mr. Gallagher himself does not pretend to explain his unseen powers. He only knows that they were born with him and developed early in life, manifesting themselves in various ways. He is frequently astounded at them and for many years has devoted himself to healing, believing that he has been called upon to do so. He carefully studies the cases brought to him and then uses his gifts to the best advantage, rarely if ever, failing to do great good. His personality is such as to attract attention at once. He gives the caller an impression that he is sincere and that he can accomplish just what he sets out to do. When called on this morning he was busy with several patients and had many appointments for this afternoon. He is constantly making new friends and the afflicted are rapidly increasing in numbers at his location, 514 1/2 State street, La Crosse.

## THE NEW JEFFERSON HOTEL

La Crosse, Wisconsin

The Best \$2.00 a Day House in the City  
**Frank Kohn**  
MANAGER

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WHOLESALE WINES AND LIQUORS

Imported and Domestic Mineral Water, Ginger Ale, Club Soda, Bass Ale, Dublin Stout, Etc.

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## URGES MARKETS FOR LA CROSSE

Chicago Man Speaks at Grocers' Meeting; Declares Farmers' Trade Must Be Attracted

KEEP ABREAST OF TIMES

Taggart Recalls Time when Market Was Crowded with armers' Teams

"Plan for the interests of your customers first if you want prosperity in your community," said Leon F. Reinhard, representative of the Calumet Baking Powder company, Chicago, speaking at the regular monthly meeting of the Grocers' association at Linker hall last night.

"You can't expect the farmer to come in and do his trading with you if you have a wall built around your town," he added, "you must do everything in your power to encourage the trade of the community surrounding your city. Above all you must keep abreast of the times. Other towns are making bids for the farmers' trade and patronage and to hold your own it is necessary for you to go to them one better in the contest. A free municipal market is one of the best ways that I know of to attract trade to your city. Other cities are making a great success by this means and I believe that such a market is one of the greatest needs of La Crosse."

Mr. Reinhard spoke before the grocers at last night's meeting by special invitation and was emphatic in his statement that a municipal market had proved of great benefit to other cities who had tried them. Incidentally he advocated a free bridge and declared that an organization such as the grocers' association should do everything in its power to obtain what, in his opinion, could only be of benefit to the retailer and his customers. He spoke on the benefits to a city received from organized efforts of its citizens.

The meeting of the grocers was one of the largest in history of the organization, nearly every grocer in the city being present. Other speakers were President James B. Murray and Secretary Harry Taggart. Mr. Taggart discussed the question of the free bridge and the proposed municipal markets.

"I can remember," said Mr. Taggart, "when the city market was the busiest place in town. It was so crowded that the police often had to request the farmers to make room on the streets in its neighborhood so that other teams could pass. Why is it not that way now?"

"Other towns have cut in on our business and we must do something to get it back. If we had this organization fifteen years ago, we would now have creameries and cheese factories in La Crosse that are operating in the neighboring small towns. We need something to attract the trade of the farmer and the best way to do that in my opinion is to establish a municipal market where he can get the best prices for his products."

"Why is it that the grain buyers of La Crosse go to the neighboring towns to buy their barley and other grains? Because the farmer is not bringing his grain here. He gets a better price in the other towns and he is going where he will get the price. We can pay the price here and will if we get the market."

The sentiment of the grocers appeared to be unanimous in favor of the market and the speaker's remarks were heartily applauded. An elaborate "Dutch lunch" was the closing feature of the evening.

## MILWAUKEE BUYS PITCHER WEIDELL

"Bugs" Weidell, star Minny league pitcher, who twirled for the La Crosse team last year, was today sold by the local club to the Milwaukee American association team. Through this deal Milwaukee will get the services of one of the best of the Minny league pitchers as Weidell has done some great twirling in this circuit.

St. Paul of the American association also wanted Weidell, who thought that he was a free agent and was about to sign a contract with them when he found out his mistake. Weidell will now get into big league ball in Milwaukee and there is no doubt but that he will be a big help to the pitching staff of that club as he is a clever twirler. His work in the Minny league attracted a great deal of attention and he should be a star in the American association although he will have to compete with several veteran twirlers for a place on the Milwaukee club.

It takes three-tenths of a second for a signal to pass over the 2700 miles of an Atlantic cable.

## "BILLY QUIRK"

IN A FUNNY WESTERN COMEDY

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

AT THE LYRIC

## ERUPTION CAUSED TERRIBLE SUFFERING

Baby's Body Covered with Large Sores. Seemed to Itch and Burn. Finger Nails Fell Off. Little or No Sleep. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In 6 Weeks Cured.

"When my baby boy was six months old, his body was completely covered with large sores that seemed to itch and burn, and cause terrible suffering. The eruption began in pimples which would open and run, making large sores. His hair came out and finger nails fell off, and the sores were over the entire body, causing little or no sleep for baby or myself. Great scars would come off when I removed his shirt. We tried a great many remedies, but nothing would help him, till a friend induced me to try the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment but a short time before I could see that he was improving, and in six weeks' time he was entirely cured. He had suffered about six weeks before we tried the Cuticura Soap and Ointment although we had tried several other things, and doctors too. I think the Cuticura Remedies will do all that is claimed for them, and a great deal more." (Signed) Mrs. Noble Tubman, Dodson, Mont., Jan. 28, 1911.

For more than a generation Cuticura Soap and Ointment have afforded the most economical treatment for affections of the skin and scalp of infants, children and adults. A single cake of Cuticura Soap (25c) and box of Cuticura Ointment (50c) are often sufficient. Although sold by druggists and dealers throughout the world, a liberal sample of each, with 32-p. book on the skin, will be sent free, on application to Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Dept. 15A, Boston.

## NEW TOBACCO KING



**THEODORE H. KIRK**  
LEXINGTON, Ky.—This is a photograph of Theodore H. Kirk, of Covington, Ky., and Cincinnati, Ohio, the only man who has ever entered into a real tobacco-purchasing campaign against the American Tobacco Company, called "the trust," before its dissolution at supreme court order, and its allied or subsidiary companies.

## American Sculptor Is Pinched As Suffragette

ALBANY, N. Y., March 6.—Social circles here are aroused over the arrest of Miss Alice Morgan Wright in London for smashing windows in the suffragette demonstration. Her father, H. R. Wright, who is a well known business man, went to New York to see what could be done to extricate her from the predicament in which she has been placed, through her part in the campaign.

Miss Wright is a highly educated young woman of advanced ideas and was instrumental in bringing Mrs. Pankhurst here to address a big suffragette meeting a year ago. She has spent recent years abroad and is a sculptor of acknowledged ability. A life-size figure called "Cain" brought her renown in Paris last season, and a heroic figure of Sir Henry Irving designed by her will form part of the decorations of the Davenport Theater in New York.

## MAY AGAIN PUT ARMY ON BORDER

WASHINGTON, March 6.—That the United States may again mobilize an army on the Mexico border, and that plans to this end are awaiting the return tomorrow of Secretary of War Stimson, was the statement made here this afternoon by an officer in high authority.

It was said that the United States has been forced to make ready to protect Americans in Mexico in view of the extremely alarming conditions recently developed near the border and the statement attributed to foreign Minister Calero that in case American intervention seemed imminent, all Americans left in Mexico would be held as hostages by the Mexican government against that outcome.

## NEBRASKA MUSEUM BURNS

LINCOLN, Neb., March 6.—Fire today partially gutted the fourth floor of the University of Nebraska museum building and damaged the building and specimens to the amount of about \$20,000. Two specimens valued at \$1,000 apiece—the skull of a giant wild hog which roamed over the state in prehistoric days and a complete skeleton of a rhino which once inhabited Nebraska—were completely destroyed.

## FORTY INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

Charges Range from "Riot, Treason and Conspiracy" to "Assault"

TRIAL NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

Sheriff and Deputy Busy Serving Summonses on Accused Men; Conviction Certain

Forty members of the Y. M. C. A. dormitory community were indicted last night on charges ranging from "riot, treason and conspiracy," to "grand larceny and assault with intent to do bodily harm," at the first and only session of the grand jury which was recently called by Judge John Brindley. The jury was called by Judge Brindley on petition from members of the Y. M. C. A. dormitory community and for the purpose of investigating the charges that resulted in the indictments.

Sheriff M. C. Munson and Deputy Sheriff J. E. Schreiber are busy today serving summonses on the indicted men Friday, March 8, is the date set for the trial which will be held in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. Judge Brindley will preside at the trial and Attorney Layton Gouldin will conduct the prosecution. Mr. Gouldin was highly elated today by the findings of the grand jury and declared that he is in possession of so much evidence against the accused men that there is little chance of acquittal at the trial Friday evening.

Defense is Defiant.—Theodore Ubbelohde and Edward Hughes, who have been retained at attorneys for the defense, however, declare that there is little chance of conviction in the majority of cases. It is rumored that they will endeavor to have several of the important cases thrown out of court on technicalities.

The trial Friday evening will be preceded by a banquet at which all of the dormitory men are expected to be present. The banquet will be paid for out of the fines which are expected to be assessed against the accused by Judge Brindley.

A sample of the summons which is being served on the indicted men today is given as follows:

Form of Summons  
State of Wisconsin, La Crosse County, ss.  
Be it ordered that since Bob Andrews, by various and unmentionable misdemeanors, becomes the subject of inquiry before the Y. M. C. A. dormitory court, that he be and is hereby ordered to appear before that court at 6:30 Friday evening, March 8, 1912, there to receive certain orders which will be provided and later to answer for his conduct before the court. And, be it ordered, that he pay the sum of thirty-five (35) cents to the sheriff upon the service of this paper, to pay the court's costs and the costs to be provided.  
(Signed) JOHN BRINDLEY, Judge.

## FIGHT ON FOR ESTATE

NEW YORK, March 6.—An estate of \$1,500,000 now held by an incompetent, Lord Hugh Hamilton Stafford Northcote, is the stake for which attorneys representing Hamilton Fish and Stuyvesant Fish of this city, and Lord Iddlesleigh are fighting in court. Of this fortune \$500,000 consists of realty holding and bonds in a local safe deposit vault. Attorneys of the English nobleman today applied to Justice Gavegan to appoint a receiver for the Northcote properties in this country. They stated that the British courts recently named Bernard S. Rollo as committee of Northcote's person and property, who they declared incompetent. The court was asked to name Rollo as receiver for the estate in this country.

Henry W. Taft, representing the Fish side, opposed this. He argued that none of the American property was needed for Northcote's maintenance and held that it should be left in this country. Should Northcote die intestate, the money and property would revert to the American heirs. If a receiver was to be appointed, he argued, it should be Hamilton Fish. Justice Gavegan reserved decision.

## Your Attention Is Called To Our Diamonds

As long as you intend to purchase in the near future, it would be well to make your selection now. The present prices ruling here for perfectly cut diamonds is worth every intending purchaser's attention.

And the stock from which you may select is so large and varied that you cannot fail to find what you want.

**Parker**  
MAJESTIC BUILDING

Buy it by the Box of any dealer

"I chew Wrigley's **SPEARMINT** said the banker, "because it helps digestion."

"I chew it after smoking," said the lawyer, "because it purifies my breath—prevents heartburn."

"I chew it," said the dentist, "because it cleanses my teeth and prevents decay."

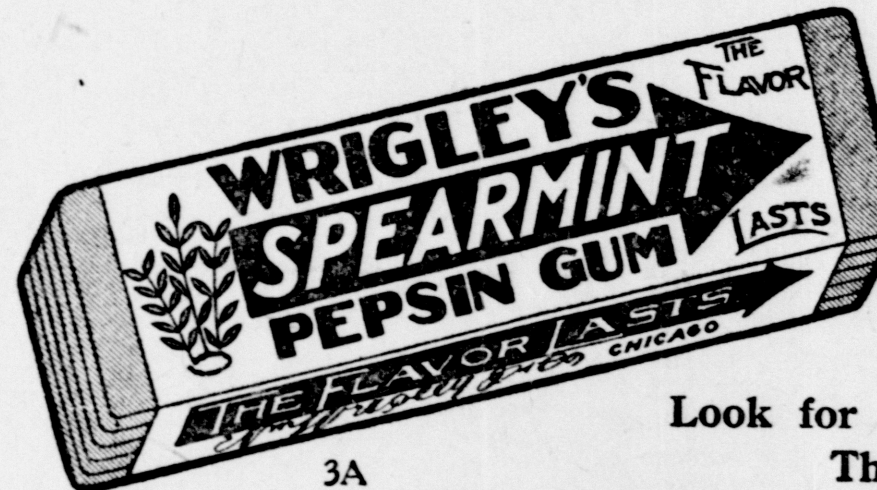
"I chew it," said the doctor, "because it sharpens appetite and makes food tasty."

"I chew it," said the teacher, "because it relaxes my nerves—helps me think."

"I chew it," said the urchin, "because I like it—and that's enough for me!"

Millions chew **SPEARMINT** because it is refreshing—but they benefit just the same.

Do you?



Look for the spear The flavor lasts

## CALEDONIA PLANS A FARMER'S WEEK

Next Week, End of First Short Farmers' Course to Be Devoted to Corn and Grain Show

CALEDONIA, Minn., March 6.—(Special.)—As a climax to a three months' short course for farmers' boys and girls, which has just been completed at the Caledonia High school, the first ever held in Houston county, all of next week, beginning Monday morning, will be devoted here to Farmers' Week. The week will be spent in lectures and demonstrations of scientific farming by experts from the extension department and College of Agriculture of the University of Minnesota. There will also be a corn and grain show. There will be a competitive exhibit of farm products, cooking, sewing and written work from the country schools. A substantial prize list has been offered by the business men of the town.

Special attention is to be given to seed corn, and free tests of seed corn for the farmers will be made. Premiums have been offered for the best white and yellow corn, best thirty ears of corn for seed, best wheat, oats, barley and timothy seed and for the best potatoes. There are special classes for grains grown by boys under 18 years of age.

The program is as follows: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday: Prof. W. H. Tomhave, Beef animals and cutting meats; J. C. White, Poultry; R. S. Macintosh, corn and horticulture.

Thursday, Dairy Day. Prof. R. M. Washburn, dairy subjects; Prof. L. B. Bassett, grain subjects.

Friday, field crop day. Prof. A. C. Army, corn and quack grass; Prof. L. B. Bassett, soil tillage.

Saturday, corn judging by boys under 18 and rural school teachers. Spelling contest.

Hoax—Do you prefer a dark or a light cigar? Joax—Well, I like it light on one end.

True Happiness.  
"The happiness of a man in this life does not consist in the absence but in the mastery of his passions."—Tennyson.

## FIRE DAMAGES KRATZER HOME

\$1,300 Loss Caused by an Early Morning Blaze; the Neighbors Help Save Furniture

Fire at the residence of Joseph and Frank Kratzer, 511 South Fifth street, at 7:30 this morning, resulted in damage to the building of over \$1,200 and over \$100 worth of furniture was destroyed. Fire department No. 3 answered the call but finding that they were unable to combat successfully with the fire, sent in a call for reinforcements. Fire department No. 1 arrived on the scene a few moments after the arrival of No. 3 and for nearly two hours several streams were kept playing upon the fire from which dense masses of smoke continually rolled, spreading over the city for blocks around.

Crowds of people flocked to the fire from all directions, many of whom aided in the removal of furniture from the house. All of the furniture on the ground floor was saved and part of that of the second floor. The furniture was not insured and that which was destroyed will be a total loss.

It is believed that the fire originated in the rear of the house and was caused by a defective chimney. The blaze spread rapidly to all parts of the house but most of the damage was done to the second floor and roof.

The building is owned by Louis P. Pamperin, 515 South Fifth street, and was covered by insurance.

## SNEAD SENIOR IS SHOT BY TENANT

Father of Slayer of Captain Boyce Killed by Tenant, Who Turns Gun on Himself

GEORGETOWN, Texas, March 6.—The Rev. J. T. Snead, father of John Beal Snead, the Amarillo banker recently tried in Fort Worth for the murder of Captain A. G. Boyce, was shot and killed today by R. O. Hilliard, who then committed suicide. Hilliard left a note saying he had killed Snead for revenge. It is declared the killing is not connected with the Snead-Boyce feud resulting from the killing of A. G. Boyce, Jr., with the wife of J. B. Snead. The elder Snead had just left the post office here when he encountered Hilliard, who was one of his tenants. Hilliard drew a 45-caliber revolver and fired at the aged minister. Then standing over him, he sent two more bullets into his prostrate body.

Hilliard lived near Rosebud on one of the Snead farms, and the note left by him declared he was losing his mind because of troubles with Snead.

Book store advertises "The Right Man" for 48 cents. Beware, girls, it's a trap.

Spring must be near, for the Boston National ball team is talking of a first division berth.

The world is filled with pretty things. Also iabs and ipolts and stings.

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Try Cascarets; they cure indigestion, because they immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the decomposed waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels. Then your stomach trouble is ended forever. A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your entire family feeling good for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

## ST. PATRICK'S DANCE PLANNED BY W. B. U.

A St. Patrick's dance will be given by the W. B. U. at their hall on Monday, March 18 for the benefit of the baseball team which gives every indication of being the best the school has ever had. The committee in charge are already working hard to make the dance a success as it is planned to make this one of the best dances of the year. An invitation is extended to all, good music is to be furnished, and a good time is assured all who attend.

## OPEN SHOP A MENACE

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The so-called open shop in a menace to America, in the opinion of Seth Low, president of the Civic Federation. He told that organization, at the opening of its annual convention here today that the "open shop" ordinarily is not a shop where union and non-union men work side by side, but a shop from which union men are excluded if they live up to union principles.

## ZIMMERMAN SIGNS UP.

CHICAGO, March 6.—"Heine" Zimmerman, the last of the Cub holdouts, signed a three-year contract today, according to a statement made by President Murphy.

## REFERENDUM TO DECIDE MARKETS

Council Committee Decides to Recommend Placing Question Before the People

## THE TAX PLAN IS FAVORED

Aldermen Oppose Bond Issue for Buildings; Schubert Against Appropriation

The bridge and finance committee of the city council will recommend a referendum vote on the placing of a one mill tax on the 1912 budget to provide the city with two market buildings. This is the decision reached at the meeting of that committee held at the city hall last night following their meeting with the joint committee of the Merchants' Protective association, Retail Grocers' association, Trades and Labor Council and social democrats. If the referendum vote is carried it will mean the raising of \$22,000 by tax during the next year, which sum will be used for the erection of market buildings.

This action was taken in answer to the request for a definite decision as to their report, by the joint committee. Mr. John C. Toeller acting as a representative of the Merchants' Protective association declared that the joint committee should have an answer at once as to the position of the bridge and finance committee so as to have sufficient time in which to circulate petitions for a referendum vote in case the council committee decided to report against such vote.

Torrence Against Bonds  
Alderman William Torrence entered a strong plea against the issuing of bonds to raise funds, declaring that it is a foolish waste of money to pay \$50,000 in twenty years for a piece of work which can be accomplished for \$25,000 by immediate payment.

"This will increase the taxes enormously during the next year if the referendum vote is carried but the question will be put fairly before the taxpayers who will have their choice of meeting an additional one mill tax or of defeating the market project," said Mr. Torrence.

Fears Financial Condition  
City Attorney A. H. Schubert, in his capacity as chairman of the democratic city committee spoke strongly against the appropriation of funds for the erection of market

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12½c and 15c Dress Gingham, checks and stripes, only per yard ..... 10c  
32 inch Dress Gingham, a big assortment, only yard..... 15c  
32 inch hairline white cotton Serge, only yard ..... 25c

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\$1.25 72 inch all pure linen Satin Damask, Irish manufacture; special only, yard ..... \$1.00

## CRASHES

18, 20 and 24 inch Russia Crashes, for pillow tops, scarfs and Runners, at per yard ..... 15c, 18c, 22c and 25c

## A Poor Mother Is On Trial For Her Life At The Lyric Tonight And Tomorrow.

## VIROQUA, WIS.

Miss Hazel Hayes of La Farge has been a guest of her cousin, Mrs. Paul Lawrence.

Lester Walling has been helping at the Byers tonsorial parlors at Readstown.

Charles Ashbjornson and H. H. Rabbitt have been purchasing scatted ring crops of tobacco near Gays Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Erteson of Viola were in the city.

George Torgor of Soldiers Grove was in this city enroute to the west. Stevingson & Call prominent merchants at Westby, will erect a new 90x50 two story brick building at Westby. There will also be several new residences at Westby this year.

P. H. Oftedahl, formerly of this city, is selling out his store at Wilton to a stock company.

## OLD-TIME REMEDY DARKENS THE HAIR

Gives Color, Lustre to Faded and Gray Hair; Dandruff Quickly Removed

For generations Sage and Sulphur have been used for hair and scalp troubles. Almost everyone knows the value of such a combination for keeping the hair a good even color, for curing dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair, and for promoting the growth of the hair. Years ago the only way to get a Hair Tonic of this kind was to make it in the home, which was troublesome and not always satisfactory. Nowadays, almost any up-to-date druggist can supply his patrons with a ready-to-use product, skillfully prepared in perfectly equipped laboratories.

An ideal preparation of this sort is Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, in which Sage and Sulphur are combined with other valuable remedies for scalp troubles and thin, weak hair that is losing its color or coming out. After using this remedy for a few days, you will notice the color gradually coming back, your scalp will feel better, the dandruff will soon be gone, and in less than a month's time there will be a wonderful difference in your hair.

Don't neglect your hair if it is full of dandruff, losing its color or coming out. Get a fifty cent bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist, and see what a few days' treatment will do for you. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented. Special Agent, O. T. Erhart, 518 Main St.

## RUSHFORD, MINN.

There occurred last Thursday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson, residing four miles north of Money Creek, a notable gathering at which none of the guests was less than fifty years old. The people were the Robinson brothers and sisters and their wives and husbands and those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Morrison; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Robinson; Mr. and Mrs. P. Todd; Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Perkins; Mr. Taylor Robinson; Mrs. Mary Clements; S. H. Robinson. The parents of this family were from the state of Maine and were pioneers of Money Creek, celebrating their golden wedding several years before their death. Each New Year's Day the younger generation have a family gathering, taking turns as to ages, the eldest being first, the third and fourth generations being represented.

The special car containing large exhibit from the Upper Michigan Peninsula was sidetracked near the depot last Sunday where a good crowd gathered both Sunday and Monday to view the grains, etc. Grains, fruits and vegetables were shown which might well be the pride of any state. Pamphlets and folders were distributed and interesting explanations given by those in charge of the car. We understood that several prospective buyers of Michigan land were found.

Miss Francis Overland of Bratsberg is at the home of her sister, Mrs. Olaf Johnson on Ferry street.

Next Friday and Saturday there will visit Rushford a number of eminent speakers equipped with up-to-date paraphernalia to show our citizens the cause, prevention and alleviation of the "white plague." Rushford's Red Cross society has, by its strenuous efforts and unflagging enthusiasm and zeal, made it possible for this exhibit to visit our city and we know that all who have given this question the serious thought it demands, will agree that much good may be accomplished by its valuable work. There will be given a series of lectures both afternoon and evening of both days, and let all who feel the responsibility of the city's and vicinity's welfare lay aside other work and attend. Especially will the work appeal to the younger generation as it is through them that many homes and lives can be reached which otherwise would not be touched. Lectures will be given upon each film shown, as the "moving picture" idea plays an important part in the exhibit. Let us all put a shoulder to the wheel, turn out in force and become up-to-date in our methods of dealing with the awful disease, tuberculosis.

Mr. William McKay and brother, George, of Orient, S. D., have returned to their respective homes after a three weeks visit with their mother and sisters at Hart.

All the children who have been ill with the epidemic which has been going around the city, are well on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterle Philipps are the proud parents of an eight-pound son who arrived via the Stork Express on March 1st.

The Missionary society of the Presbyterian church have postponed their regular meeting (which should have been held next Saturday) until a week later. The Red Cross exhibit which is to visit Rushford next Saturday is the reason for the postponement. The Missionary society will

therefore meet March 9th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. McDermid, the teachers of the city schools serving the luncheon.

Auctions will be held at the homes of John Erdman, Ole Glenna and Ole Ambrosen on the 14th, 6th and 11th of March respectively. The Erdman farm is five miles northeast of Rushford; the Glenna home is six miles south of this city and the Ambrosen home five miles south of Bratsberg.

Mrs. Simons, a sister of Mrs. Dave Hughes of this city, who underwent an operation at a Winona hospital recently is improving nicely.

Mrs. Soren Backman who was taken to a La Crosse hospital last week after being very ill for some time is progressing nicely and if no complications arise, will soon be strong enough to return to her home in Rushford.

## SEED CORN SCARCE

ROCHESTER, Minn., March 6.—That there will be little good seed corn in Olmsted county this year is the statement made by Prof. John May, instructor of agriculture in the Rochester high school, after testing a large amount of corn submitted to him by the farmers of the county.

The invention of magnifying glasses is ascribed to one Alhazen, an Arabian, in the year 1050 of our era.

It's easy enough to get along with some people if you can only conceal your opinion of them.

## RESTORES MEN to VITAL VIGOR

It is the strong vital, manly man who has the courage to face all dangers—who succeeds in life.



Vitality is the thing which makes success; it gives men that compelling power which sends them forth eager and equipped to meet and overcome all obstacles; it is the thing which gives the young soldier courage to face death; it is the thing which inspires and holds his sweetheart's love and faith. No matter what your age, I can give you this same vital power. I can restore the vigor you lost, no matter what early or later indiscretion may have sapped your strength. I can make you "young" and keep you "young." From an intimate and studious observation of possibly 100,000 weakened men, I say to you that VITALITY or lack of it means all the difference between a manly man and a half man. The man who bubbles with vital power will

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### RECALL PETITION PROVES A FAILURE

MANKATO, Minn., March 6.—It begins to appear that the threatened recall election in this city will not be held. Last Friday afternoon the recall petition, containing 456 names, was filed with the city clerk, but since the publication in a local paper of the list of signers which contained few taxpayers and hardly any business men, there has been a scramble to get their names off by the signers.

Up to last night about 130 had withdrawn their names, and the list is now about 100 short of the legal number.

### OPEN EXHAUST TO GIVE AWAY MOTOR

At the office of Open Exhaust, 114 North Fifth street, is being exhibited a 10 h. p. two cylinder, Model C, Wisconsin Valveless 2-cycle motor, which is being given away free in a subscription campaign being conducted by that publication. This motor is one of the latest and most advanced of the 1912 models and is made by the Wisconsin Machinery & Manufacturing company. The motor is being exhibited in the window and is attracting considerable attention.

The sea is saltiest, thanks to evaporation, in the tropics.

### HILL STARTS MOVE FOR NEW LIBRARY

ST. PAUL, March 6.—By expressing his determination yesterday to build a reference library on the land fronting 100 feet on Third and Fourth streets and 200 feet on Market street, James J. Hill started a movement that crystallized later in the Association of Commerce pledging itself to secure all the remaining land on the block opposite Rice park between Third and Fourth streets, and presenting it to the city as a site for a \$500,000 public library.

The vital statistics report for England and Wales shows an almost continuous decrease of remarriages during the year 1909.

### NORTHWEST NEWS

#### LOW-NECKED WAISTS NOT FOR TEACHERS

BUTTE, Mont., March 6.—Short skirts and low necked waists are out of place in the school room when worn by the members of the teaching force, and were referred to as "wearing apparel abbreviated at both ends which must be worn no more in the state schools," by Superintendent Downer today at a general monthly meeting of the teachers.

The superintendent did not attempt to specify just what a teacher should or should not wear. As to the exact meaning of a low necked waist, the teachers claim that the superintendent did not mean a waist without a collar, but perhaps a sailor's waist without the shield, or a shirtwaist "turned in" at the neck sufficiently to warrant the fear among the children that "teacher might catch cold."

#### WINONA FACING DAIRY BOYCOTT

WINONA, Minn., March 6.—The city of Winona is threatened with an absolute tie-up of all milk and cream supplies as a result of a personal clash between City Dairy Inspector G. Ed Leech and the Winona Milk Dealers' association. Notice was served upon the city council last night at its regular session that the members of the association would absolutely decline to furnish milk of cream in the city hereafter, unless a new dairy inspector were appointed to test the cattle. The petition was signed by more than thirty milk peddlers and dealers, practically the entire membership, and the cause for the complaint is that his "personality is objectionable to us and upon other grounds which we are prepared to present in case you are willing to give us a hearing." It sets forth further that the members are not opposed to the city ordinance which calls for the tuberculin test license before milk can be sold in the city.

#### SINGLE TAX WINS

SEATTLE, March 6.—That Seattle will be governed by a single tax mayor, using revenues raised by the single tax system, was indicated by today's returns from yesterday's election. Returns missing from 51 precincts, the figures today were: Cotterill, single tax and municipal ownership majority candidate, 26,041. Cotterill's friends claim his election by at least 2,000 plurality. They also declare the charter amendment establishing the single tax system in Seattle has passed by a substantial plurality.

He who is firm in will molds the world to himself.—Goethe.

### WISCONSIN NEWS

#### SPECIAL SESSION IS AGAIN DELAYED

MADISON, Wis., March 6.—Governor McGovern is waiting to settle definitely several legal questions before making known plans for a special session. Shortly before noon he called the attorney general in conference with this in view, and he said also he would brief a few questions himself.

State Treasurer Dahl, who visited Black River Falls, reported to the governor yesterday that legislative aid is absolutely necessary. It is proposed to remit a \$35,000 school loan as well as appropriate additional money for relief and improving the sanitary situation.

#### PRISONERS ESCAPE BY USING SPOON

MADISON, Wis., March 6.—Several days ago two prisoners from the county jail here made their escape. Sheriff Brown was surprised when Arthur Brown, a federal prisoner, held for forgery, told him that the cell doors were defective and that with the aid of a spoon he could get out at any time. The sheriff challenged him to show how the trick could be done. In the presence of a number of officials and members of the county board, Brown today made good his boast, and now the county board is ready to make an appropriation to renovate the jail.

#### How To "Shed" a Bad Complexion

It's foolish to attempt to cover up or hide a sallow complexion, when you can so easily remove the sallowness, or the complexion itself. Rouge and the like on a brownish skin only emphasize the defect. The better way is to apply pure mercurized wax—putting it on at night, removing it in the morning with warm water, following with a dash of cold. The effect of a few applications is simply marvelous. The half-dead cuticle is absorbed by the wax—painlessly, gradually, in tiny, imperceptible particles—revealing the beautiful velvety-white new skin beneath.

No woman need have a sallow, blotchy, pimply or freckled complexion if she'll just go to the druggist's, get an ounce of good mercurized wax and use as suggested.—Woman's Realm.

### CHILDREN DIE OF SCARLET FEVER

PLAINFIELD, Wis., March 6.—George Hills of Bancroft, manager of the Durham Lumber company, screwed the lids on two little coffins and passed the boxes through a window of his home on Sunday to the undertaker.

Malignant scarlet fever had caused the death of Hill's two children, a boy aged 3 years and a girl of 7. Quarantined, the father and mother nursed the little ones, saw them suffer and decline under the drain on frail strength until death brought relief.

Then the man and woman, with all the fortitude they could muster, set about preparing the bodies for the grave. But they did not attend the burial. They only watched the undertaker drive off with the little coffins for the parents were under quarantine.

The tramp worries over his next meal, the millionaire over his last.

### TROUBLE DUE OVER ARREST OF WARDEN

MADISON, Wis., March 6.—Arrests of deputy state game wardens by local officials is one of the things that militate against a fair enforcement of the game laws, and State Game Warden John A. Sholts, expressing this view today, said there is trouble ahead for those responsible. At Horicon next Friday a deputy warden will answer in court to a charge of catching and shipping two pickers to the department in Madison. Mr. Sholts declares the law permits this to be done by department officials under certain circumstances and that the deputy merely obeyed his (Sholts') instructions. Deputy Attorney General Russell Jackson has accordingly advised the district attorney to dismiss the case. Whatever disposition is made of it, however, Warden Sholts promises the matter shall not drop and that interference with an official of his department in the line of his duty shall not be overlooked.

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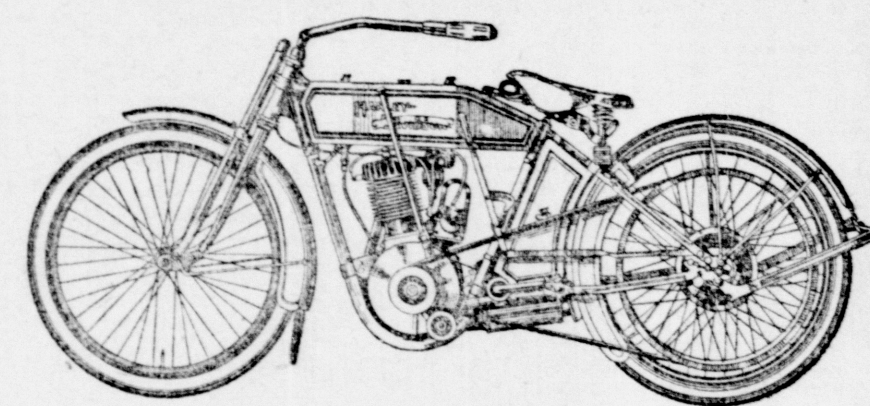
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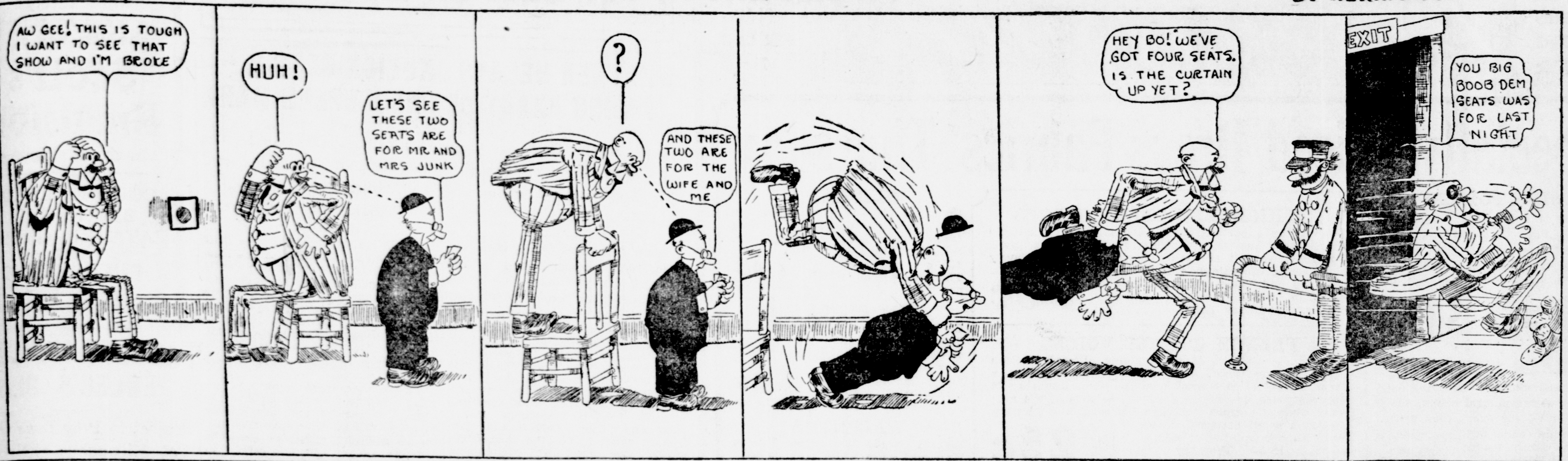
THE seat springs on the ordinary motorcycle have about one-half inch action either way. This means when the rider strikes a stone or crossing, say 3 inches high, that the ordinary motorcycle saddle springs absorb only the first 1/2 inch of the jolt, and the rider's back house gets the rest. These jolts, and in fact all vibrations, are entirely eliminated in the new Harley-Davidson by the incorporation of a "Full Floating Seat." The saddle springs, the only shock absorbers of the ordinary motorcycle are retained, and these, combined with our "Full Floating Seat," give a range of action of about 4 inches as against the scant 1 inch of the ordinary motorcycle. This means that the new Harley-Davidson is four times as comfortable as any other motorcycle on the market. For four years the Harley-Davidson has held the world's official record for economy. It has won more races, more hill climbs and more endurance contests than any other stock machine made. Nevertheless, the Harley-Davidson is not a racing machine, but is built primarily for comfort and service. In addition to the "Full Floating Seat," the new Harley-Davidson incorporates the "freewheel" control, the latest and greatest invention of Mr. Wm. S. Harley, the world's foremost motorcycle designer and engineer. This ingenious device has done away with the hard pedaling or the necessity for running alongside the machine, and permits the Harley-Davidson to be started like an automobile. Send for catalogue.

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## Grain Produce

### HELP WANTED--MALE

**TRUSTWORTHY MEN** or women wanted as local representatives of responsible manufacturer. High-class merchandise and clean selling methods. \$12.00 per week guaranteed on easy conditions, with possibility of \$30.00 and advance. Experience not necessary. Manufacturer, Box 278, Philadelphia.

**WANTED--Man:** good proposition. Imperial Dyers and Cleaners. 227 North Third. 3 6 7

**WANTED--Wood choppers** to go to De Soto. Inquire Peter Loftus, De Soto, or N. Frey, 1513 Kane, La Crosse, Wis. 3 6 8

**WANTED--At once,** a tailor. Good wages. 126 South Third. Pollock's. 3 5 7

### HELP WANTED--FEMALE

**WANTED--Girl** for general housework, to go to Montana. Good wages. Good references required. Call evenings at 1619 King. 2 28 tf

**WANTED--Stenographer** and office girl. Experience preferred. Capable, energetic party will have opportunity for permanent, profitable place. W. V. Kidder, 114 No. Fifth street. Phone 1262-R. 3 6 8

**WANTED--Housekeeper:** no objection to one child. Address John D. Peters, R. 2, Box 53, Mindoro, Wis. 3 6 8

**WANTED--Experienced** sewing machine hands, also some girls to work by the week. Martin Bros. Co. Second and Main. 3 5 11

**WANTED--25 sewing machine operators** to make overalls and shirts. Steady employment. Apply at once. La Crosse Clothing Company, La Crosse, Wis. 3 5 9

**WANTED--Competent girl** for general housework. Inquire Mrs. G. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 3 2 tf

**WANTED--Experienced** lady bookkeeper and stenographer; references required. Give full information first letter. Address Mercantile, care Tribune. 3 1 tf

**WANTED--Millinery apprentice** girl. 710 Winnebago. 3 4 tf

### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE--75 feet** garden hose, lawn mower, brass bed, springs, feather mattress, phonograph, jar. Inquire Knothe's, 115 So. Fifth. 3 6 8

**FOR SALE--Go-cart,** in first class condition. 1012 State. 2 28 tf

**FOR SALE--Three passenger** auto roadster, worth \$500. If sold at once will sacrifice for \$350. Fully equipped and in A 1 condition. Address Passenger, care of Tribune. 2 23 tf

**FOR SALE OR RENT--270 acre** farm, 20 miles south of La Crosse. For full particulars address Wm. B. Monti, La Crosse, Wis. 2 15 u

**FOR SALE--Fine lot** on Cass St., between 17th and 18th streets. H. E. Rogers. New phone 928-C. 2 Rings. 25th and Main. 3 2 tf

**FOR SALE--Five room** cottage, partly modern. Inquire 615 South Eighth. 3 2 7

**FOR SALE--Horse** at 2317 Green Bay. 3 5 11

**FOR SALE--One team** of horses. Inquire 526 South Seventh. 3 6 tf

**FOR SALE--Oak** shelving, as good as new. Address S. T., care of Tribune. 3 6 9

**FOR SALE--Dry** wood, at \$5.00 per cord, by Ed. LaFleur, new phone 1006-A.

**FOR SALE--At a bargain,** used talking machine records; good assortment to select from. Inquire 1403 Farnam street. 3 5 15

**FOR SALE--Grocery** stock in one of the best locations in La Crosse. Doing big business. Stock in good condition. Rent cheap. Reason for selling, have other business to care for. Inquire Temte & Syverson, 1400 Berlin. 3 1 tf

**FOR SALE--Laying** chickens, good stock. 721 Perry street. 3 2 7

**FOR SALE--New** seven room house, all modern. New phone 116-C. 3 4 9

**FOR SALE--Bargain** for cash, or will sell on easy payments, two-story solid brick 9 room house on 16th street line. All modern and up-to-date. Many trees, corner lot; garage also. Write directly to Owner, care P. O. this paper. 3 2 10

**FOR SALE--Furniture** and household goods, at 713 Perry street. Call afternoons and evenings from March 4th to March 9th. 3 4 8

**FOR SALE--My farm,** 111 acres, located one mile from depot of Brownsville, Minnesota. House in corporation; 55 acres under cultivation, rest timber and good pasture, also 80 acres Mississippi bottom land, good meadow and timber. Buildings consist of good model 10 room house, basement and cellar; steam and vacuum heating plant. Barn 24x36, hay shed 24x50, machine shed, chicken house, hog house, buggy shed, corn crib and work shop; good well and running water, orchard and all kinds of berries. For full particulars write Valentine Fetzner, Brownsville, Minn. 3 4 6

**FOR SALE--First class** cigar store and billiard parlor. Address G. C. Tribune. 2 28 3 5

**FOR SALE--Property** on southwest corner Seventh and Market streets. Inquire between 7 and 9 p. m. at 616 Market street. 2 27 tf

**FOR SALE--Ten room** house, modern improvements, or will exchange for small property. 803 South Ninth. 3 4 6

**FOR SALE--Bakery** good location; retail business. Reason for selling, poor health. Address Bakery, care of Tribune. 3 4 9

**FOR SALE--House** and lot, 137 South Twelfth. Inquire 121 South Third. 3 16 tf

**FOR SALE--Attention!** A used auto now being put in good condition at James' machine shop. Apply to the foreman, Ben Nottingham. 2 8 tf

### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT--Modern** seven room dwelling, desirable location, close in, \$22.50 per month. Inquire The Burke Agency, Room 4, Bata-vian building. New phone 194-R. 3 5 tf

**FOR RENT--Five room** house, 220 King street, \$10 per month. 3 5 11

**FOR RENT--Rooms** for light housekeeping. 114 North Fifth street. City heat. 3 5 tf

**FOR RENT--Furnished** rooms, strictly modern. 125 South Tenth. 2 8 tf

**FOR RENT--Suite** of furnished rooms, with private bath and board. 222 South Eighth. 1 8 tf

**FOR RENT--Six room** strictly modern house, corner Sixth and Vine street. No water rent. \$20.00 per month. J. H. Lightbody. 2 23 tf

**FOR RENT--Modern** seven room house, 602 South Fourth street. New phone 739-C. 1 29 tf

**FOR RENT--Modern** 5 room cottage. Call new phone 642-C. 3 4 tf

**FOR RENT--Eight room** flat, modern, in good condition. 806 Caledonia. 3 4 tf

**FOR RENT--Pleasant** room, modern. 130 North Seventh street. 2 29 tf

**FOR RENT--Small** furnished flat, modern. 714 Cass. 2 24 tf

### MISCELLANEOUS

**BICYCLES** cleaned and repaired at Mable's, 514 South Eighth St. Work guaranteed. 3 1 7

**WANTED--Eight** or ten room modern house; reasonable rent. New phone 489-A. 3 4 7

**MAJESTIC STUDIO--W. J. Fitzpatrick** 2 5 3 5

**WANTED--Plain** sewing, at 421 West avenue north. 3 5 11

**WANTED--Situation** by a young widow with one child, as housekeeper for an elderly gentleman, city preferred. Address W., care of Tribune. 3 1 6

**WANTED TO RENT--In** April, small partly modern cottage or flat on North side, for young couple. Address W. S. C., care of Tribune. 3 1 21

**WANTED--Roll top** desk. Imperial Dyers and Cleaners, 227 No. Third. 3 6 7

**PIANO TUNING--A. Ruhoff,** both phones. 2 21 tf

**WANTED TO RENT--Any** time after March 15, a modern 6 or 7 room house (cottage preferred). State what you have with price and address Vassar, this office. 2 28 tf

**GASOLINE WOOD SAWING.** Frank Bendel. Old phone 4872, new phone 1207-C. 2 5 tf

**CUT RATES** on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

**MUST BE SOLD** without delay, a well paying first class grocery business in one of La Crosse's best trading centers; for sale at a very reasonable price. Just the thing for one or two good live young men. Extensive other interests demanding owner's attention. Address P. O. Box 570, La Crosse, Wis. 3 4 tf

**CHIMNEY** and furnace cleaners. Call new phone 401; old 353. 2 21 27

**DR. EHLERT--Skin** diseases and diseases of men. 427 Main. 2 1 tf

**FOR SALE--Steel** range good as new, for \$20. 615 Jackson. 3 4 tf

**MONEY LOANED** on furniture, no publicity. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 3 2 tf

**LIESENFELD'S GASOLINE WOOD SAWING--New** phone 1247-M. 10 24 tf

**WANTED--Boarders** with or without rooms. Board reasonable. 149 South Sixth. 3 4 tf

### Lost

**LOST--Small** French bulldog, color red, bat ears, short tail. Reward if returned to 136 South Eleventh street, phone 713-C. 3 4 6

**LOST--Gold** locket and chain, with monogram M. H. Reward. Return to 1644 George street. 3 6 8

**LOST--Pair** of glasses, between Tenth and Mississippi and Ninth and Market. Return to 1008 Mississippi. Reward. 3 6 8

**LOST--Sunday** ladies' watch and fob, Hampton works. Monogram V. S. engraved on inside of case. If returned to 527 King or Tribune office, finder will receive a suitable reward. 3 5 tf

### Typewriters

**REMINGTONS,** \$12. Smith Premiers, \$12. Hammonds, \$17. Oliverts, \$20. All other makes at bargain prices for 60 days. Send for special price list. W. H. Fox, 106 N. La Salle St., Chicago, Ill. 3 2 8

### Public Stenography

**TYPEWRITING,** copying, stenography, multiple letters, addressing, by experts. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth street, (opposite La Crosse club). 5 3 tf

### Financial

**LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE** on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

**FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION** loans on real estate. Ten dollars a month pays \$1,000.00 in 149 months; \$12 a month, in 114 months. 11 6 tf

### Architects, Superintendents

**ANDREW ROTH--Successor** to Schick & Roth, Architect and superintendent, La Crosse, Wis.

### Dentist

**DR. A. T. RASMUSSEN,** Rooms 210-211 Linker Bldg., Fourth & Main. Office hours 9 to 12 and 1:30 to 5.

### Private Detective Agency

**E. R. VAN DORN'S** Private Detective Agency. Reliable men furnished for all kinds of detective and private police work. All business strictly confidential. Terms reasonable. New phone 1204-C.

### Funeral Directors

**MILLER BROS.,** undertakers and embalmers, 320 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

### FOREIGN MARKETS

**New York Stocks.** NEW YORK, March 6.—The stock market opened irregular today with changes about equally divided between gains and losses.

11 a. m.—After the initial trading the tone became steady.

Governments unchanged; other bonds firm.

Noon—Erie issues were strong in the late forenoon, but other stocks suffered slight recessions.

2 p. m.—The tone was steady in the afternoon.

The stock market closed irregular.

**New York Money.** NEW YORK, March 6.—Money on call 2 1/4 per cent.

Time money 3 1/4 per cent for six months.

Bar Silver: London 26 1/2 d.; New York 58 1/2 c.

Demand sterling 487.20

**Chicago Livestock.** UNION STOCK YARDS, March 6.—Hogs—Receipts 34,000; market quiet; mix and butchers \$6.30 to \$6.57 1/2; good heavy \$6.30 to \$6.60; rough heavy \$6.30 to \$6.40; light \$6.25 to \$6.55; pigs \$4.70 to \$6.25.

Cattle—Receipts 19,000; market steady; beefs \$5.00 to \$8.85; cows and heifers \$2.25 to \$6.70; stockers and feeders \$4.10 to \$6.20; Texans \$4.70 to \$6.00; calves \$6.00 to \$8.50.

Sheep—Receipts 22,000; market strong to 10c higher; native \$3.50 to \$5.60; western \$4.00 to \$5.25; lambs \$4.75 to \$7.10; western \$5.25 to \$7.20.

**Kansas City Livestock.** KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 6.—Cattle—Receipts 8,000; market steady; steers \$5.75 to \$8.50; cows and heifers \$3.25 to \$6.75; stockers and feeders \$4.25 to \$6.45; calves \$4.50 to \$8.50.

Hogs—Receipts 11,000; market steady to 5c lower; bulk \$6.30 to \$6.55; heavy \$6.50 to \$6.60; medium \$6.40 to \$6.60; light \$6.25 to \$6.55.

Sheep—Receipts 7,000; market 10 to 15c higher; lambs \$5.25 to \$5.90; ewes \$3.00 to \$5.00; wethers and yearlings \$4.25 to \$6.00.

**Chicago Produce.** CHICAGO, March 6.—Butter—Extras 30c; firsts 29c; dairy extras 28c; firsts 26c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 19 1/4 to 19 1/2; firsts 18 1/2 c.

Cheese—Twins 17 1/4 to 17 1/2 c; Young Americas 17 1/2 to 18c.

Potatoes—\$1.05 to \$1.10.

Live Poultry—Fowls 15 to 15 1/2 c; spring chicks 15 to 15 1/2 c; ducks 15 to 15 1/2 c; geese 10 to 10 1/2 c; turkeys 14 to 14 1/2 c.

**Barley and Flax.** Minneapolis barley, 70 to 1.26. Minneapolis flax, \$2.04.

Chicago barley, 80 to 1.30.

Duluth flax, \$2.04.

**Chicago Cash Grain.** CHICAGO, March 6.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.03 1/4; No. 3 red 97c to \$1.02 1/2; No. 2 hard \$1.03 to \$1.05 1/2; No. 3 hard \$1.00 to \$1.04; No. 3 spring 99c to \$1.07.

Corn—No. 3, 66 to 66 1/4 c; No. 3 white 66 1/2 to 67c; No. 3 yellow 66 to 67c; No. 4, 63 1/2 to 64 1/2 c; No. 4 white 64 3/4 to 65 1/4 c; No. 4 yellow 63 to 65 1/2 c.

Oats—No. 3 white 52 1/4 to 53 1/2 c; No. 4 white 48 to 52 1/2 c; standard 52 3/4 to 53 3/4 c.

**Grain Letter.** CHICAGO, March 6.—The wheat market was listless today with orders small and holders evening up in anticipation of the government's farm reserve figures expected Friday. The market dropped back slightly on cable reports of good condition of wheat in Europe. Cables of exceedingly small offerings in Argentine went unheeded here and in Europe. Northwest receipts were moderate.

With a lowering tendency for prices in corn, traders were not inclined to commit themselves. Resting orders to buy corn at each fractional decline of the market were encountered, but the selling was a little more than enough to supply the demand. This trade is also waiting for

### THE DAILY MARKETS

**WHEAT.** Open. High. Low. Close.

May ... 103 1/4 104 1/4 103 1/4 104 1/4

July ... 97 98 97 98

**CORN.**

May ... 70 71 70 71

July ... 70 71 70 71

**OATS.**

May ... 52 53 52 53

July ... 48 49 48 49

**POULTRY.**

May ... 15.82 15.85 15.72 15.80

July ... 16.17 16.22 16.00 16.10

**LARD.**

May ... 9.42 9.42 9.32 9.37

July ... 9.57 9.60 9.50 9.55

**RISES.**

May ... 8.85 8.85 8.72 8.77

July ... 8.95 8.95 8.80 8.85

### THE DAILY MARKETS

**Fruit.** (Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Apples, Colo. Grano, per box, \$1.75

Grape fruit, 54-64, \$3.00

Grapes, Almeria, per bbl. \$4.50-5.00

Oranges, Cal., 150-175-200-216, \$2.90

Cranberries, per bl. \$8.50

Lemons, 300-360 box \$3.50 to \$6.00

Bananas, bunch, \$1.25 to \$1.75

Walnut dates, box, \$3.75

Apples, Ben Davis, bl. \$3.75

Baldwins, per bl. \$3.50 to \$3.75

Russets, per bbl. \$3.50 to \$3.75

Jonathans, per bbl. \$4.00 to \$4.25

Persian dates, per pound, \$6.40

California celery, \$7.50 to 90c

Oysters, standards, gal. \$1.40

Oysters, can selects, \$4.00

Oysters, selects, gal. \$1.65

Onions, brown, per hundred, \$3.50

Onions, yellow and red, per 100, \$3.50

Onions, sets, white, per bu. \$2.25

Onions, sets, yellow, per bu. \$2.00

Onions, sets, red, per bu. \$1.75

**Butter and Eggs.** (Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery, \$30 to 31c

Dairy butter, lb. \$24 to 25c

Eggs, fresh, dozen, \$22c

Eggs, seconds, dozen, \$20c

**Livestock.** (By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs ... \$5.25 to \$5.70

Cows ... \$2.00 to \$3.50

Heifers ... \$2.50 to \$4.00

Lambs ... \$4.00 to \$5.00

Sheep ... \$2.00 to \$3.50

Steers ... \$3.50 to \$4.50

**Poultry.**

Spring chickens ... 9c

Old Chickens ... 9c

Turkeys, pound ... 12 to 14c

Ducks, pound ... 11c

Geese, pound ... 9c

**Provisions.**

Lard, per pound ... 10 1/4 to 10 1/2 c

Shoulders, per pound ... 10c

Hams, per pound ... 13 1/2 c

Bacon, per pound ... 12 1/2 to 18c

Dry beef, per pound ... 17 to 19c

**Grain.** (Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)

Barley ... \$1.10 to \$1.15

Corn, new ... 50c to 57c

Oats ... 43c to 47c

Wheat ... 80 to 90c

Rye ... 75 to 80c

**Flour and Feed.** (Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)

Patent, barrel ... \$5.50

Straight, barrel ... \$5.30

**Mill Feed.** (Prices do not include sacks.)

Brn, per ton ... \$27.00

Shorts ... \$28.00

White middlings, per ton ... \$31.00

Red Dog ... \$32.00

**Hay and Wood.**

Hay, wild, per ton \$12.00 to \$14.00

Hay, tame, per ton \$17.00 to \$18.00

Wood, per cord, \$5.50 to \$5.75

**Cheese.** (Quoted by Hy. Anderreg)

Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in cases ... 17 1/2 c

Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in half cases ... 18c

Fancy full Cream Twins cheese, 18c

Fancy full Cream Daries cheese ... 18 1/2 c

Fancy Full Cream Limburger ... 17c

Fancy full Cream Swiss, round ... 20c

Fancy full Cream Swiss Block ... 19c

German Hand Cheese, per box ... 90c

Prim ost, per pound ... 6 to 8c

**Hides and Raw Fur.** (Quoted by La Crosse Fur and Hides Company.)

No. 1 cured cows, heifers and steers ... 11 to 12c

No. 1 cured bulls ... 9 to 10c

No. 1 green, cows, heifers and steers ... 9 to 10c

No. 1 green bulls ... 7 to 8c

### CHIEF EVENT OF THE DAY

**Passing of the Milk Train, Not Charge of Bull, Caused Young Farmer's Haste.**

In rural New England the passing of a railway train is still a matter of public interest quite astonishing to visitors from the city. Last summer three ladies from Boston hired an abandoned farmhouse in northern New England, in a region devoted to dairying. One warm August day they walked through the rocky pastures to a farmhouse three miles distant, in quest of a two weeks' supply of butter.

On learning that they had come through the fields, the farmer's wife exclaimed: "Why, you can't go back that way alone! Our bull's out there in the back lot, and only day 'fore yist'day he tread my son-in-law on a stun for two hours. I'll have him go home with you."

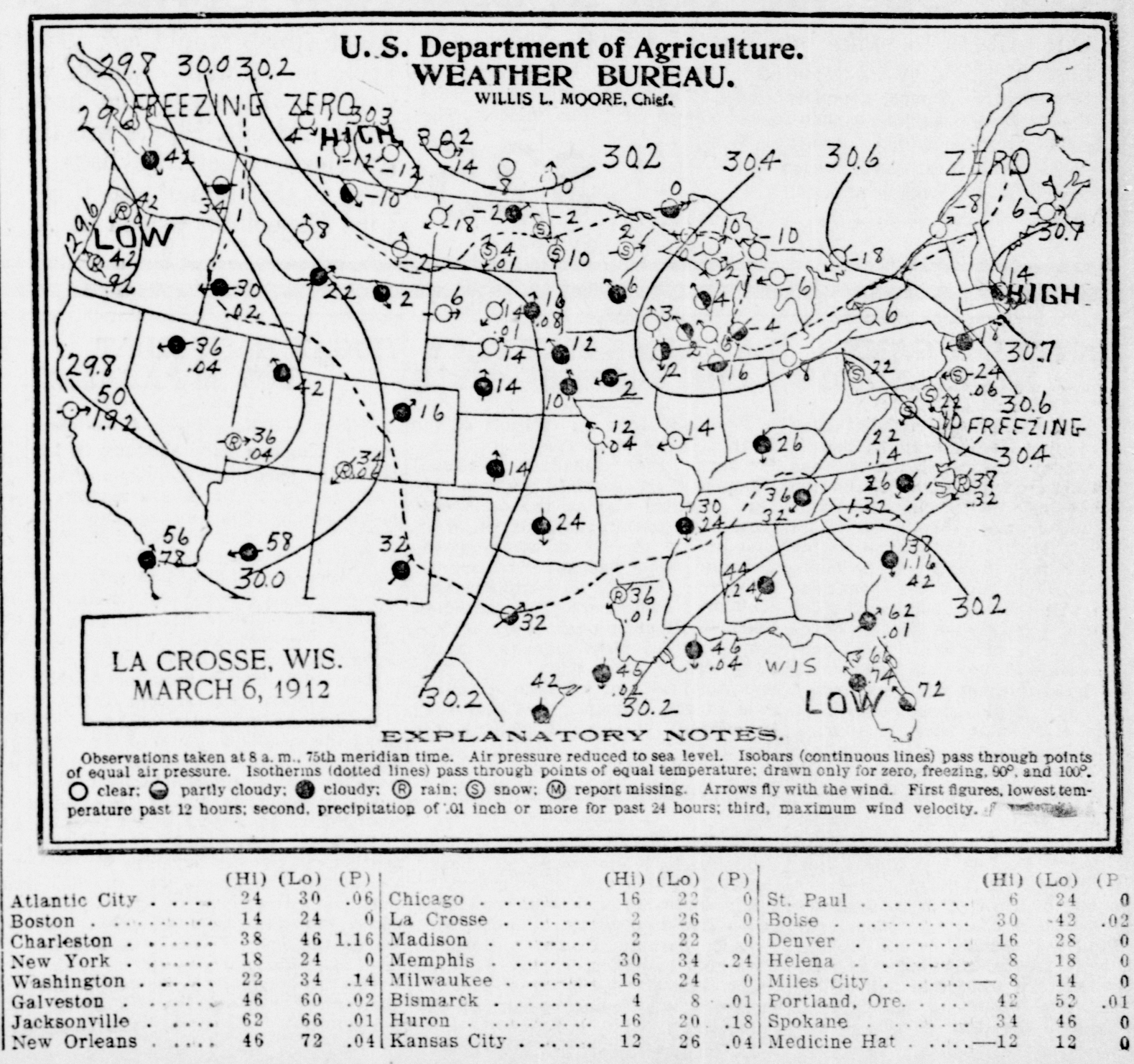
With some misgivings on the part of the women, the little procession started back under the guidance of the young man, the ladies carrying the butter. All went well till they had gone about a quarter of a mile, when the escort suddenly called, excitedly: "Come on!" and started on a run toward higher ground.

Thinking that they understood the occasion of his activity, they needed no urging to follow him. On and on they sped, throwing away their butter as an impediment to their speed. Finally, bathed in perspiration and gasping for breath, they sank exhausted on a rocky ledge whither their guide had led them.

Standing just above, he waved his arm in a dramatic gesture toward the valley below, where a freight train could be seen crawling slowly out from between a cleft in the hills, and shouted: "There she goes—the milk train!"—Youth's Companion.

**The Disputant.** True disputants are like true sportsmen, their whole delight is in the pursuit; and a disputant no more cares for the truth than the sportsman for the hare.—Pope.

### Weather Forecast and Weather Conditions





10 Souvenir  
POST CARDS  
LA CROSSE  
VIEWS, 5c

# DOERFLINGERS

PALM OLIVE  
SOAP  
PER CAKE  
7c

## Specially Priced Dress Fabrics Thursday

### SILK POPLINS

"Reiling and Schoen's" celebrated Silk Poplins, 25 brand new pieces to select from, including all popular new staple as well as novelty patterns popular for spring. All sell regular at \$2.00 per yard. Special Thursday, per yard only

**\$1.48**

### LINEN SUITINGS

Pure Linen Suitings, an exceptional quality, in the natural colors, which stands in high favor this spring. This grade comes full yard wide, is fine and firmly woven and well worth 35c. On sale Thursday special at

**25c**

### CHALLIES

Full yard wide, fine quality Cotton Challies, in a variety of beautiful Persian effects, all guaranteed fast dyed, especially adaptable for comforters and dressing gowns. Regular 15c grade; special at

**10c**

### FASHIONABLE BLACK SERGES

Now is the opportunity to purchase a fashionable Black Serge Suit at a wonderful saving in price. Thursday we sell 10 pieces absolutely all wool heavy black serge, exceedingly rich in appearance and measuring full 54 inches in width. Our best \$1.50 quality. Thursday only

**98c**

### FRENCH COTTON VOILES

Fine grade Chiffon finish genuine French Cotton Voiles, in the latest patterns for spring, showing a great variety of the most popular white grounds in different size black stripe effects, as well as the neat pink, blue and green checked effects and broken checks in small patterns. Choice lot of 100 brand new pieces, worth up to 35c, Thursday only at

**25c**

### NEW SUITINGS AND CLOAKINGS

Just received and on sale tomorrow ten different and distinctive styles double faced Suitings and Cloakings, showing new spring weights and colorings, both plain and two toned effects. The showing eclipses all of our efforts of previous seasons, in both style and texture, nothing but the finest pure wool yarns being used. Widths range at 56 to 60 inches, priced at

**\$2.48**

### GINGHAMS

Choice of 100 full new pieces, in best 1912 Dress Gingham, showing fashionable plaids, checks, etc. Sells regularly at 12 1/2c on sale Thursday special, per yard

**10c**

### NEW PERCALES

Choice brand new 36 inch wide indigo blue Percales. All new, just received, best quality Turkey red, grey and blacks. Regular 12 1/2c and 15c grades; right off full pieces, at yard

**10c**

### WAISTINGS

Elegant grade double-fold Madras Waistings, pure white grounds with neat dot, stripes and checks. Quality specially adaptable for waists, boys' blouses, etc.; worth 25c; special Thursday

**19c**

### BLACK PANAMAS

Elegant quality fine evenly woven black Panamas, in the wanted chiffon weights, for spring. Full 50 inches in width. On sale special

**59c**

## Spring Suits and Dresses Popularly Priced

Style, quality, excellence and value, the potent features in each of the scores of New Spring Suits and Dresses now being featured here. The breadth of the assortment, the exclusiveness of styles, the character of the garments in workmanship and materials, and the intrinsic worth offered at each different price, evidence our keen sense of duty and organized determination to serve you best.

### Spring Serge Dresses, \$5.95

Smart new Spring Dress—one-piece model; the waists are made of Peau de Cygne Silks in black, blue, brown or tan, with neat white pencil stripe, trimmed with bands of serge, reverses and buttons. Skirts are made in the latest high waist effect, panel back and button trimmed. You'll be highly surprised and pleased. The designers and makers have in these pretty new Spring Dresses accomplished the utmost in combining style, practicability and economy. Women's and misses' sizes

**\$5.95**

### Serge Dresses at \$7.50

Natty, handsome Dresses of wool Serge in black, blue, tan or white. Made with large collar, braid trimmed. Short sleeves with turn back cuffs. Plain skirt, trimmed with wale braid and buttons. Priced at only

**\$7.50**

### Serge Dresses at \$10.00

One of the new styles at this popular price is made of navy Serge with Copenhagen or tan collar and reverses, also in brown with blue or tan combinations. Plain panel skirts. Very effective and so distinctly new. Women's and misses' sizes. Specially priced for this sale at only

**\$10.00**

### The New Challie Dresses at \$13.75

The style creations brought out in the beautiful Challie Dresses this spring are certainly beyond all expectations. So many chic touches are added here and there, that just top the effectiveness. Challie Dresses are strong favorites and the handsome blends and color combinations in stripes, checks, borders, etc., are numberless. Prices range from \$23.50 down to

**\$13.75**

### Our "Special" Suit at \$25 New Spring Suits at \$15

Our efforts to make our line of \$25.00 suits the best in the city have been unusually successful this spring. A most complete line of suits in all the spring shades in the newest of materials shown at this price. The style, workmanship, quality and prices make these garments so favorable to the women of La Crosse. Priced at

**\$25**

Most stores would ask you \$18.00 for suits of the style and quality which we show at \$15.00. Blue serges, whipcords and novelty mixtures, in sailor collar models. Skirts are the new side envelope effects. Stylishness is the keynote to this line. Especially priced at

**\$15**



## SPORTING NEWS

### WEATHER DELAYS SPRING PRACTICE

Cubs Spend Day in Gym Work; Tigers to Start Today if Weather Permits

NEW ORLEANS, March 6.—A life sized thunderstorm butted in and cheated Manager Chance out of his first day's work yesterday but today the Cub boss was planning to put both his regulars and recruits through a "course of sprouts" on the diamond. During the storm the athletes contented themselves with gym work and as a result Joe Tinker is nursing a lacerated lip presented him by Reulbach in a wrestling match; Tony is champion strong man and "King" Cole is champion basket shooter of the basketball squad, the king being so elongated that it merely was necessary for him to stand on tiptoe and drop the sphere into the basket. Sheppard, Archer and Richie joined the team yesterday. Mordecai Brown, former leading man in the Cub holdout company, left Chicago yesterday to join the Cubs at their training camp.

Weather Delays Tigers MONROE, La., March 6.—Stormy weather again delayed the practice for the Tigers but today Manager Jennings means to put the recruits through a severe workout. Since Jennings' arrival, the weather has interfered with his "getting a line" on the Tigerettes. Word has been received here today that Third Baseman Morlarity, a member of the holdout brigade, has sent in his signed contract. Word has reached the Tiger camp of the death in Philadelphia of Mrs. Joseph Sugden, wife of Joe Sugden, coach and scout for the Tigers.

Delhi Second Walsh WACO, Texas, March 6.—Billy Sullivan, the conservative veteran backstop of the Chicago White Sox aggregation today predicted that "Flame" Delhi, the twirler recruit from the Pacific coast, will become another Ed Walsh. Sullivan has taken personal charge of the sorrel topped youngster's training and declares he's "got everything anybody else has, and some things others have not got." In addition Sullivan declares Delhi has a head on his shoulders.

A raw, penetrating east wind kept the athletes away from the "ball orchard" yesterday but Manager Calahan planned to resume active training today, "active training" being, for the most part, the limbering up of whips.

Pirates Drink Water WEST BADEN, Ind., March 6.—Copious draughts of mineral water and stiff exercise climbing hills near here and running in the covered track were the lot of the Pirate crew under Manager Clarke today. Clarke takes fifteen minutes every day for a straight from the shoulder talk on how and how not to train. Pitcher Camnitz and Catcher Simon are new additions to the party today.

### KULICK SETS A NEW SPEED MARK

In a Ford "999" He Drives at Rate of 109 Miles an Hour Over Ice at Lake St. Clair

Frank Kulick, driving his little Ford 999 11, traveled over the frozen surface of Lake St. Clair recently at a rate of 109 miles an hour, covering one mile in 0:33 2-5. The mark set a new record for a speed contest on ice, the former mark being held by Henry Ford himself, who, nine years ago, drove the first "999" a mile in 0:39 4-5 over practically the same course.

Kulick twice broke the former record. The first time he went over the course he carried his mechanic with him and his time was 0:34 4-5. On his second attempt he went the distance alone and succeeded in clipping his first mark by almost two seconds.

The conditions for Kulick's try for the record were not so bad, but they could have been better. The lake was covered with almost a foot of snow and this had to be scraped off for a distance of almost two miles in order to allow for a flying start and to give him room at the finish for stopping. The ice, after being uncovered, was rough and, although the little machine was let out to the limit by Kulick, the speed was somewhat retarded by the bumps in the ice.

Kulick was fairly flying when he had his machine opened up at top speed. When the machine passed the spectators it was hardly visible. At times the slightest raise in the ice would send the machine into the air and it sped on with all four wheels in the air.

That Kulick would try for a new record was somewhat of a surprise owing to the announcement last summer that he was through with the racing game for good, but some of the local Ford people thought that the record made years ago by Henry Ford in the old "999" could be lowered by its successor and persuaded Kulick to get back into the harness for the day. It is probable now that Kulick has the world's record on ice and records in his class on the ice that he will retire for good.

### KILBANE READY TO MEET ALL COMERS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 6.—Every legitimate aspirant for the featherweight championship will be given a chance at the title by Johnny Kilbane. The new featherweight champion said here before leaving for San Francisco, that he expects to be challenged by every mediocre boxer upon his return east, and that he will bar none of them. However, any man to get at Johnny must do the weight and go over the twenty round course. Manager Dunn says Charley White cannot do 122 ring-side.

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### FACULTY SPOILS EHLER'S PLANS

Project to Play Iowa Game at Milwaukee Shelved; Was to Have Increased Revenue

MADISON, Wis., March 5.—Athletic Director Ehler's carefully laid plans to insure financial success for the 1912 football season were shelved by the university of Wisconsin faculty yesterday when the professors refused to ratify the action of the athletic council in scheduling an Iowa-Wisconsin game for Milwaukee on November 23.

Will Play at Iowa City The Wisconsin faculty interpreted the conference rules to mean that all athletic contests must be held at the site of one of the two contestants and ordered that the Iowa game be played at Madison or Iowa City. It is probable the game will be played at Iowa City, inasmuch as the Hawkeyes played at Madison last fall. The rest of the football schedule remains as announced last week.

Lewis Takes Carpet Coach Lewis' first act after he had taken charge of the baseball squad was to reduce the squad to twenty-five candidates. The next cut will not be made until the team which will make the southern trip during Easter week is picked.

An attempt is being made by the athletic department to schedule a swimming meet and water polo game with Princeton when the Tiger aquatic teams come west in April.

### ANSON WITH OUTLAWS

CHICAGO, March 6.—According to President Powers of the Columbian League "Cap." A. C. Anson is to join other former major league stars in the "outlawed" organizations. It is said Anson will probably go to Pittsburgh or Cincinnati.

### MORAN TO MEET MOORE

NEW YORK, March 6.—Owen Moran, the British lightweight who put Bat Nelson away for the count, has been matched to meet Pal Moore of Philadelphia at the Fairmount Athletic club Tuesday night.

### NEILLSVILLE GAME IS CALLED OFF

The game scheduled for Saturday between the local and Neillsville High school basketball teams has been called off because Neillsville has been ordered to play the Stanley, Wis., quintet this week. La Crosse is now without a game for a week but attempts will be made to schedule one with some prominent five in this vicinity. The news that Neillsville was ordered to play Stanley came as a surprise to local people as it was thought that La Crosse would have to meet the northerners before they could become eligible for the state championship tournament.

### BURKE AFTER GIBBONS

NEW YORK, March 6.—Sailor Burke, who won a popular decision from Larry English last night, announced today that he intended to camp on the trail of Mike Gibbons, until he got a chance to meet the St. Paul lad. Burke claims Gibbons is a bona fide middleweight and believes that the winner of a bout between them would be the rightful claimant to the title.

### LA CROSSE MAY PLAY THE BLOOMER GIRLS

President John A. Elliott of the Minny league is in receipt of a letter from the Canadian National Bloomer Girls' baseball team in regard to their playing the La Crosse team here on Saturday, May 4. Whether or not the locals will play the Canadian team has not yet been decided but there is a possibility that they may come here. The Canadian National Bloomer Girls have the best players of any girls' team in Canada. They have a great record. This year they are making their second annual tour of the United States and they are already planning a schedule for the trip.

### SAYS GOTCH FEARS POLE

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 6.—Replying to a statement of Frank Gotch in which the letter stated he would force Zbyszko to acknowledge he is afraid to accept a battle with Yussif Mahmoud, Jack Herman, Zbyszko's manager, today declared Gotch himself displayed a lack of gameness in refusing to take on the Pole.

### HOGAN EASY MEAT FOR M'FARLAND

NEW YORK, March 6.—One Round Hogan's poor showing in his ten round encounter with Packey McFarland last night, was a matter of much gossip today among the hundreds of fans who witnessed his disappointing exhibition. Many held that Hogan was afraid to mix matters with the Stock Yards champion while others were of the opinion that he was bewildered by the wonderful footwork of his opponent.

Yesterday Hogan announced that he intended to mix matters from the start but he evidently changed his mind the minute he entered the ring. He failed to land more than ten good punches and contented himself with covering up and trying to evade punishment in nearly every round.

No boxer that Packey has met recently was as easy for him to solve as Hogan. The Chicagoan landed almost at will and many thought he could have scored a knockout towards the end of the bout had he been so inclined.

On three different occasions the Californian was reeling but Packey did not care to win by the sleepy

### MISSOURIANS WANT PRESIDENT PRIMARY

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 5.—Roosevelt republicans, headed by Governor Hadley, Jesse Tolan and other state leaders announced today they wished to meet with the Taft leaders, cancel the present arrangement of district conventions and arrange for presidential primaries. The Roosevelt leaders declare, however, they cannot find a Taft representative who will consent to the primary arrangement.

### THREE DIE IN FIRE

PLATTEVILLE, Wis., March 6.—Three charred bodies were taken today from the ruins of a laborers boarding house that burned here late yesterday. The men all of whom were foreigners, were trapped by the flames.

route, knockouts being frowned on here as tending to discredit the game.

The fight set a new attendance record for the Fairmount club. The gate receipts amounted to \$11,000, of which McFarland received \$4,000 and Hogan \$3,500.

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